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SUMMARY.

The retirement of the Germans on the Ancre front continues slowly. They are now right back to the defences before Bapaume.

The problem ahead of the British, says Mr. Philip Gibbs, is to discover whether the Germans intend to defend the line.

Indications suggest that the enemy is playing a great strategical game.

There are further signs behind Bapaume that the Germans are making preparations for flight.

Fires are burning in the villages. The Germans are apparently burning useless stores. The civilians are being sent away.

The railway activity is abnormal. Yet these signs, says Mr. Philip Gibbs, are uncertain.

Some prisoners state that the Germans intend to carry out an extensive withdrawal.

Anyhow, remarked Mr. Gibbs, our guns are working hard at the Bapaume defences.

German guns massed east of Bapaume fling all kinds of shells on the abandoned ground between Gommecourt and Le Transloy.

The British have made further progress north-westward of Irles and northward of Pusieux-au-Mont.

They raided enemy trenches eastward of Bouchavesnes.

Later the artillery dispersed enemy troops massing for a counter-attack upon the trench recently captured there.

The activity of the Australians in the forefront of the British advance in the Bapaume sector is attracting attention.

The Prussian Guards are being utilised to oppose the advance of the Australians.

The French by a destructive fire wrecked enemy organisations north-west of Moulin-sous-Touvent.

There have been violent artillery actions north of the Meuse, along the Chambrettes-Bezonvaux front.

German attempts to drive the French out of portions of trenches they recaptured north of Caurieres Wood were smashed.

A Berlin official message says: There has been most violent artillery fire on the right bank of the Somme.

"We repulsed British attacks east of Bouchavesnes," it is added.

Owing to a shortage of flour Holland has prohibited the export of bread to Belgium.

The "Berliner Tageblatt" insists that there are colossal military preparations on the Russian front.

It is convinced that all the Russian armies will open a simultaneous offensive shortly.

The journal believes the Germans and Austrians on the Eastern front will be very sorely tried.

Austria's reply to President Wilson alleges that British violations of international law were the starting point of the submarine war.

The Note declares that neutral subjects must take the consequences if they travel through a prohibited zone.

The Russian army in the Caucasus is pursuing the Turks.

The transport of arms to Peloponnesus is proceeding. Twenty thousand rifles have arrived at Patras and 60,000 are en route to Nauplia.

The railway men in the south-west of Greece have struck on account of insufficient wages and food.

The filibustering American senators are explaining that they did not intend to kill the Armed Neutrality Bill.

The German newspapers gleefully refer to President Wilson's defeat by the Senate minority.

They declare that the President has little hope of securing the desired powers from the new Senate.

It is reported that Mr. Gerard is of opinion that Germany expects war with the United States.

Progress is being made with the work of organising the Sportsmen's Unit, which is being supported by athletic bodies.

There were 58 volunteers at Victoria Barracks on Tuesday. Thirty-four were accepted and 24 deferred.

The Win-the-War League held a meeting at a city warehouse yesterday. Several employees promised to enlist.

"There is still room for a considerable number of men in the Light Horse," remarked Professor Macintyre.

"I am honestly of opinion that if boxing was stopped not one recruit would be gained thereby," said Mr. R. L. Baker yesterday.

The parties to the musicians' case in Melbourne have agreed upon all matters in dispute except vaudeville.

A meeting was held at St. Vincent's Hospital yesterday to discuss means of augmenting the finances of the institution.

A "strike" ballot is to be taken by the railway employees in Melbourne on the question of independent industrial boards.

A young woman named Wilkinson has been drowned while bathing in the river at Dungog.

The Methodist Conference carried a motion rejoicing in the benefit resulting from the earlier closing of hotels.

It was decided to appeal to the authorities for prohibition of the liquor traffic during the war and for six months after.

There have been six cases of meningitis in the Walgett Hospital. Two have proved fatal and two others are very critical.

The State Recruiting Committee contemplates utilising the Federal election campaign for recruiting purposes.

Candidates are to be invited to speak in favour of the present voluntary recruiting movement.

School buildings are to be used for polling purposes on March 24, provided the school work is not interfered with.

The Education Department has permitted teachers to accept positions as returning officers and poll clerks.

At the Coroner's inquiry into the fatal mock duel at East Balmain a woman was committed for trial on a charge of manslaughter.

The police raided three houses in Woolloomooloo and seized £200 worth of jewellery, alleged to be the proceeds of robberies.

At the Central Police Court Frederick Sivell was charged with the murder of his wife at Connell's Point, Hurstville.

A remand was granted, pending the Coroner's inquest. Accused did not apply for bail.

Phenomenal rainfall is reported from Lyndhurst, in Queensland, over 20 inches having fallen on Friday and Saturday.

The debate on the Treasurer's financial statement was resumed in the House of Representatives yesterday.

Mr. Fenton criticised Mr. Hughes for his recriminations against the party with which he was recently associated.

In the Senate a motion for an address to the King in favour of Home Rule for Ireland, was carried.

After March 31 the P. and O. Company will cease to have direct representatives in Australia. Agents will be appointed in Sydney.

The entries at the Bombala Show, which was opened yesterday, were more numerous than for the past 15 years.

Supplies of stationery to members of Parliament during recess are to be cut down.

A mail bag, containing registered letters from country centres, to Sydney, has been stolen.

Four Maltese escaped from the hulk Anambaa in Berry's Bay by swimming ashore. Two were recaptured.

A small amount of business was transacted in investments on the Stock Exchange yesterday, prices being unchanged.

In mining stocks Westonia scrip was weaker. In copper, Hampdens were lower. Tin and tin scrip was firm.

The price of galvanised iron, plain and corrugated, has been advanced £2 a ton.

Brewers' goods were active. Information from Hobart was to the effect that the hop crop would be light.

Moderate supplies of fruit were to hand and business was quiet. The market was glutted with lemons.

Forecast.—Some showers and thunder in the north-east and on the South Coast; fine inland, and cooler generally, with southerly winds strong on the coast.

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SPECIAL OFFERINGS IN OUR
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30-inch Stencilled Bordered Casement Cloth, Natural Ground. Regular Price, 1/9 yd. HALF-PRICE TO-DAY, 10½d YARD.
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30-inch Good-quality Japanese Crepe, in Rose, Green, and Apricot Shades only. Regular Price, 7½d yd. HALF-PRICE FOR TO-DAY, 3¾d YARD.
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Also a few pairs Cashmere. SPECIAL PRICE, [illegible] PAIR.
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LADIES' RIBBED SPUN COTTON VEST, in extra large sizes. A nice medium weight.

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Sleeveless	1/11½	2/3½	2/4½	2/7½	2/9½
Short Sleeves	2/3	2/4½	2/6½	2/9½	2/11½

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Size.	W.	O.S.	E.O.S.	E.E.O.S.
N.S.	2/11½	3/3	3/6	3/9
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S.S.	4/6	4/11	5/3	5/9

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Size.	S.W.	W.	O.S.	E.O.S.
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RIBBED COTTON COMBINATIONS, medium weight, White only.

Size.	W.	O.S.	E.O.S.	E.E.O.S.
Sleeveless	3/6	3/9	3/11½	4/3
Closed front, S.S.	3/9	3/11½	4/3	4/6
Button front, S.S.	4/1½	4/4½	4/9	4/11½

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Size.	W.	O.S.	E.O.S.	E.E.O.S.
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Size.	W.	O.S.	E.O.S.	E.E.O.S.
Closed Front, S.S.	8/6	8/11	9/6	9/11
Button Front, S.S.	8/9	9/3	9/9	9/11

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Size	S.W.	W.	O.S.	E.O.S.
S.S.	6/11	7/6	8/6	9/3

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GIRLS' NAVY PRINT FROCKS, in fine Pin Spot, made in New Tunic Styles.

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MUNICIPALITY OF ANNANDALE.

APPEAL COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with the provisions of the Local Government Act, 1906, and Acts amending the same, a Court of Appeal for the hearing of the Appeals of persons aggrieved by the valuation of ratable land within this Municipality for the year 1917, will be held in the Council-chambers, Johnston-street, Annandale, on TUESDAY, the 27th day of March, 1917, at 10 o'clock a.m.

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

Department of the Navy, Melbourne, 2nd March, 1917.

TENDERS FOR THE SUPPLY OF 20,000 SUPERFICIAL FEET OF TEAK TIMBER FOR THE COMMONWEALTH NAVAL DOCKYARD, COCKATOO ISLAND, SYDNEY.

AMENDED NOTICE.

TENDERS are invited, subject to the conditions of tendering, until half-past 2 p.m. on MONDAY, 9th April, 1917, for the Supply of 20,000 superficial feet of TEAK TIMBER to the Commonwealth Naval Dockyard, Cockatoo Island, Sydney.

Tender Forms, Specifications, etc., may be obtained on application to the Director of Navy Contracts, Navy Office, Melbourne; General Manager, Commonwealth Naval Dockyard, Cockatoo Island, Sydney; and at the Naval Staff Offices, Brisbane, Birkenhead (S.A.), Fremantle, and Hobart.

Tenders to be endorsed "Tender for Teak Timber for Stock, Cockatoo Island," on top left-hand corner of envelope, and addressed to the Director of Navy Contracts, Navy Office, Melbourne, or the Director of Navy Contracts, care of one of the abovementioned addresses, as the case may be.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted. Tenders to be in all cases on the printed form, which can be obtained as above.

JOSEPH COOK, Minister of State for the Navy.

Department of Works and Railways.

TENDERS accompanied by the necessary deposits, will be received up to NOON on MONDAY, the 12th March, 1917, for the CONSTRUCTION and DELIVERY of FIVE HUNDRED (500) VOTING SCREENS required for Electoral Purposes.

Plan, Specification, and Tender Forms are available at the office of the Commonwealth Works Director, Pomeroy House, 16 York-street, Sydney, to whom tenders, ENDORSED WITH THE NAME OF THE WORK, should be forwarded.

No tender necessarily accepted.

W. A. WATT, Minister of State for Works and Railways.

COMMONWEALTH MILITARY FORCES, 2nd Military District.

District Contract and Supply Board, Ordnance Department, Circular Quay, Sydney.

QUOTATIONS are invited for the undermentioned Supplies:—

ON FRIDAY, 9th MARCH, 1917.
FOOLSCAP PAPER, Cream Laid, ruled faint only.
ABSORBENT PAPER, size 8¼ x 13½.

SAMPLES to be submitted with quotations. QUOTATIONS will be received until noon on the date shown at the abovementioned office, where full particulars may be obtained.

The lowest or any quotation will not necessarily be accepted.

Late quotations will not be received.

(7/3/17) F. W. PAGE, Major, Chairman, District Contracts and Supply Board.

WANTED TO PURCHASE.

FURNITURE. FURNITURE. FURNITURE. In Large or Small Lots. WE ARE THE LARGEST BUYERS OF FURNITURE IN THE STATE FOR SPOT CASH. WE WILL PURCHASE A SINGLE ARTICLE, or a COMPLETE HOUSEHOLD. Also PIANOS, STOVES, MANGLES, and HOUSEHOLD AND OFFICE FURNITURE OF EVERY DESCRIPTION BOUGHT, SOLD, or EXCHANGED at SYMONDS FURNISHING, LTD. (Only Address), 274 PITT-STREET, near Bathurst-street, Telephone, City 4811. near Gas Office.

LEFT-OFF CLOTHING.—Mr. and Mrs. MITCHELL, 138 Bathurst-st, allow utmost value for Ladies', Gent.'s, and Children's Left-off Clothing, Trunks, Bags, Artificial Teeth, etc. Letters att. Tel., 3852 City.

MR. and Mrs. M. MITCHELL, 145-147 Bathurst-st, are the oldest and most reliable Dealers in every description of Ladies', Gentlemen's, and Children's Left-off Clothing, Uniforms, Jewellery, Artificial Teeth, Furniture, Trunks, Linen, Pianos, Sewing Machines, Motor Cars, and Bikes. Ladies changing for mourning please note. Letters and parcels immediately attended to. We supply other colonies. Tel., 8043 City.

LEFT-OFF CLOTHING BUYERS.

Mr. and Mrs. WOOLF, of 112, 114, and 116 Bathurst-street, respectfully inform Ladies and Gentlemen that they are the oldest and most reliable WARDROBE DEALERS in the State, and are prepared to allow the UTMOST VALUE for every description of LEFT-OFF CLOTHING, Portmanteaux, Trunks, Old Gold, Artificial Teeth, Silverplate, Linen, etc. All letters and appointments punctually attended to. Please observe our Only Address. Telephone, 4152 City.

LEFT-OFF CLOTHING BOUGHT.—Mrs. BARNETT, widow late Aaron Barnett, 40 years' standing, has a great demand for Ladies', Gents.', and Children's; 50 per cent. above other dealers. Old Gold, Teeth, Lin, Trunks, Ports, Bags, Plateware, Miscellaneous Articles. Letters, and telephone messages attended to. Please note our only address: 97 LIVERPOOL-ST, city, opp. Central Police Station. Have no connection with any other similar business. Tel., 1415 City.

LEFT-OFF CLOTHING BOUGHT.

Mr. and Mrs. BENJAMIN, of 241 Elizabeth-street, city, respectfully inform Ladies and Gentlemen that they still continue to give extreme value for every description of LEFT-OFF CLOTHING, Old Gold, Artificial Teeth, Linen, etc. All letters attended. 'PHONE, CITY 7281.

LEFT-OFF CLOTHING. Mr. and Mrs. BARNETT, 60 Oxford-st, Paddington, allow 50 p.c. above others for Ladies', Gent.'s, and Children's Left-off Clothing, Old Gold, Art. Teeth, etc. 'Phone, Paddington 147.

OLD-FASHIONED JEWELLERY, Precious Stones, Bought. Apply by letter or personally, COLLINS, 446 GEORGE-STREET.

SEWING MACHINES, highest prices given, all makes. Thomson, 50 George-st West.

ADVERTISER will Buy some Secondhand Furniture, cash; no dealers. J.T., Oxford-st P.O., city.

MRS. and Miss LEWIS, 28 George-st W. (new Premises), will Buy any kind of Ladies' Gents.'s, and Children's Left-off Clothing, Trunks, Lin., Boots, Letters attended. High price given. Ring us up, M1458.

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AUCTION SALES.

INGLIS'S BAZAAR, CAMPERDOWN (CITY).

THIS DAY,

COMMENCING AT 10.30 SHARP.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, as under:— AT 10.30 A.M. HEAVY AND LIGHT HORSES, TURNOUTS, VEHICLES OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS.

TO TROTTING MEN AND OTHERS.

On account Mr. A. BRYANT, ROYAL VICTOR, Black Gelding, by Victor Royal, dam by Hippocampus, a natural pacer, and good winner; Racing Sulky and set of Harness, Hopples, and Boots.

MILCH COWS.

THIS DAY, THURSDAY, AT 11 A.M.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will hold their usual Weekly Sale of MILCH COWS, at their Yards, Quay-street, as above. The following will be the Order of Sale:—Messrs. ANSCHAU, McINTOSH BROS., and BUFFIER.

60 MILCH COWS, in full milk, and picked from some of the best dairies in the Southern and Hunter districts.

12 MILKING SHORTHORN BULLS.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. T. W. BOARDMAN to sell by auction at their yards, Quay-street, THIS DAY, THURSDAY, immediately after the cow sale, 12 High-class MILKING SHORTHORN BULLS, 18 months old. Full particulars at sale.

20 EXTRA GOOD MILCH COWS.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from MESSRS. McINTOSH BROS., Cobbitty, to sell by auction, at their Quay-street Yards, THIS DAY, AT 11 A.M., 20 Choice Milch Cows, newly calved, heavy milkers.

INGLIS'S BAZAAR, CAMPERDOWN (CITY).

TO-MORROW (FRIDAY) AFTERNOON, AT 2 O'CLOCK.

50 HIGH-CLASS HORSES, 50, including

A Consignment on account of Mr. JNO. DONOHOE, DIRECT FROM THE NOTED DARLING DOWNS, QUEENSLAND. ADVISED AS SPECIALLY GOOD.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction as above, On account Mr. JNO. DONOHOE, DARLING DOWNS, QUEENSLAND.

40 HIGH-CLASS HORSES, comprising:—

REAL GOOD HEAVY AND MEDIUM DRAUGHTS, LORRY, and VAN SORTS. Also STRONG, ACTIVE HORSES, suitable for BUTCHERS and BAKERS' WAGGONS, and ALL CLASSES of DELIVERY CART WORK. The whole consignment in splendid condition, 4, 5, and 6 years old.

MR. DONOHOE ADVISES THESE AS THE BEST LOT OF CITY HORSES HE HAS HAD FORWARD FOR SOME CONSIDERABLE TIME. THEY INCLUDE A NUMBER BROKEN IN READY TO PUT STRAIGHT TO WORK.

On account Mr. JACOB HEALEY, Port Macquarie, 10 SUPERIOR DRAUGHT and LIGHT HARNESS COLTS and FILLIES, 4 and 5 years old, unbroken.

*** Among the lot are TWO THOROUGHBRED BLACK FILLIES, 3 yrs. and 4 yrs. old, by SANT ILARIO from a mare by INSPIRATION (by Goldsborough), worthy the attention of racing men.

HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.
100 HEAD. 100 HEAD.
HIGH-CLASS FRESH COUNTRY HORSES.
BEALE'S SALEYARDS, HOMEBUSH (Sydney).
SATURDAY NEXT, MARCH 10,
1.30 P.M.

J. R. BEALE AND CO. will sell by auction 100 GOOD QUALITY HORSES, comprising all classes, and in splendid condition, broken and unbroken. Auctioneers' Offices, 280 Pitt-street, Sydney.

MOSSMAN and ELLIS will sell by Auction at their Stores, Thomas-st, off George-st South (near Railway), This Day, Eggs, Butter, Honey, etc., etc.; and a large quantity of Poultry of every description. EGGS, BUTTER, HONEY, ETC., at 1.30 p.m. sharp. POULTRY, BIRDS, GAME, ETC., at 2.15 p.m. sharp.

THE POULTRY FARMERS' CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY, Ltd., will sell by auction, at their Salerooms, 3 and 4 Municipal Poultry Markets, Ultimo-road, THIS DAY:—At 12.30 p.m.: Eggs, Fruit, Sundries, etc. At 1.30 p.m.: Poultry of all descriptions, Suckers, etc.

C. J. TURNER and SONS will sell at their Rooms, Quay and Ultimo streets, Haymarket, THIS DAY, as under:—1.15, Ducklings, Chicks, Birds, etc. 1.30, Eggs and Poultry.

AT OUR SALE, TO-DAY, about 3 p.m., we Sell 80 PULLETS, advised as a really good lot. C. J. TURNER and SONS, City Poultry Markets, Haymarket.

PRODUCE SALES will be held TO-DAY as under:— ..., TALLOW, at 10.30 a.m.

AUCTION SALES.

SUMMER HILL.

ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION.

THIS DAY, THURSDAY, MARCH 8,

AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK A.M.

AT THE RESIDENCE,

KOORAH,

No. 19 HENSON-STREET, SUMMER HILL.

UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE MISSES KENNEDY IN CONSEQUENCE OF HAVING SOLD THE PROPERTY.

THE WHOLE OF THE SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS, Comprising THE COMPLETE APPOINTMENTS AND REQUISITES for HALL, LIBRARY, DINING-ROOM, DRAWING-ROOM, FOUR BEDROOMS, MAIDS' ROOM, and OFFICES.

KITCHEN FURNITURE AND REQUISITES.

BUSHHOUSE PLANTS, LAWN MOWER, HOSE AND REEL, LEGHORN POULTRY, and MISCELLANEOUS LOTS.

***ON VIEW PRIOR TO SALE FROM 9 O'CLOCK THIS MORNING.

JAMES R. LAWSON, FINE ART, FURNITURE, AND GENERAL AUCTIONEER,

196 AND 198 CASTLEREAGH-STREET,

NEAR CORNER OF PARK-STREET.

TELEPHONE, 7456 CITY.

TO-MORROW, FRIDAY, MARCH 9TH,

COMMENCING AT 10.30 A.M. PROMPT

(ALL BASEMENT LOTS TO BE SOLD FIRST).

IMPORTANT UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE, at

JAMES R. LAWSON'S

CENTRAL AND COMMODIOUS SALEROOMS,

196 AND 198 CASTLEREAGH-STREET,

NEAR CORNER OF PARK-STREET.

ARTISTIC MODERN FURNITURE AND EFFECTS,

TO BE SOLD UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM

MRS. DRYBOROUGH,

REMOVED FROM THE GLEN, RANDWICK, AND FOR AND ON ACCOUNT OF VARIOUS VENDORS.

GLASS, CHINA, AND ELECTROPLATE.

DARK OAK MISSION FURNITURE.
5FT SIDEBOARD, DISTINCTIVE DESIGN.
SETTEE AND FOUR ARM CHAIRS.
WITH BUFFALO HIDE LOOSE CUSHIONS.

FUMED OAK AND MAPLE SIDEBOARDS, EXTENSION DINING TABLES. FUMED AND WAXED OAK DINING SUITES.

CHESTERFIELD COUCH,

UPHOLSTERED IN FABRICOID LEATHER.

DEEP-SEATED EASY CHAIRS.

DRAWING-ROOM CHINA CABINETS.

VALUABLE PIANOFORTE.

A BEAUTIFUL UPRIGHT PIANOFORTE, by GORS and KALLMAN, VICTOR PIANOFORTE, BLUTHNER PIANOFORTE, Both Upright Models, in fine order.

SAMES PIANOFORTE, UPRIGHT MODEL, ALMOST NEW.

ATTRACTIVE BEDROOM SUITES, in SPECIALLY SELECTED QUEENSLAND MAPLE, FUMED AND WAXED OAK, SOLID AMERICAN WALNUT.

ALL-BRASS ITALIAN BEDSTEADS.

GENTLEMAN'S LOUGHBOY WARDROBE.

and A VERY EXTENSIVE CATALOGUE of GENERAL HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND REQUISITES.

at TWELVE O'CLOCK NOON PROMPT.

TWO MOTOR CARS,

viz., RENAULT MOTOR CAR, 12-h.p., 5-SEATER, WELL EQUIPPED, WITH HOOD, FIVE LAMPS, CLAXTON HORN, STEPNEY WHEEL, SPARE TYRES, JACK, PUMP, TOOLS, etc., etc. GUARANTEED BY OWNER IN FIRST-CLASS RUNNING ORDER. THIS CAR WILL BE ON VIEW ON FRIDAY MORNING PRIOR TO SALE FROM 9 O'CLOCK.

BELSIZE MOTOR CAR, 16-h.p., 5-seater, 1912 MODEL, WIRE WHEELS, SPARE WHEEL, HOOD, WIND SCREEN, LAMPS, TOOLS, etc. TO BE SOLD ON ACCOUNT OF Mr. W. SIMONS, WHO IS LEAVING FOR THE FRONT. THIS CAR WILL BE ON VIEW THIS (THURSDAY) AFTERNOON FROM 2 O'CLOCK, and FROM 9 O'CLOCK FRIDAY MORNING.

TERMS CASH. NO RESERVE.

JAMES R. LAWSON, VALUATOR, FINE ART, FURNITURE, AND GENERAL AUCTIONEER, 196 AND 198 CASTLEREAGH-STREET, NEAR CORNER OF PARK-STREET.

TELEPHONE, 7456 CITY.

CITY.

THIS (THURSDAY) AFTERNOON, AT 2.30 SHARP.

OFFICE FURNITURE AND INDENT AGENT'S STOCK OF MERCHANDISE, AT AUCTION, ON THE PREMISES.

The Offices and Sample Rooms of the Fredrick Foster Institute, 4th floor, No. 29 Elizabeth-street, between King and Hunter-streets, city. Comprising New MODEL REMINGTON No. 10 TYPEWRITER, and Oak Table, 5 x 3, Oak 5-drawer Office Table, leather top, 6 x 5ft 6in Oak Table, fitted suitable for small board-room, 8 very good Oak Chairs, imported, 48in Roll-top Oak Desk, fumed and fitted, 4ft 6in x 2ft 6in and 4ft x 2ft Pine Tables. 3 Brass Balance Scales for paper weighing, set Kauri Shelves for Stationery, small Office Partition, with 2 doors, fitted with glass lights. Also, 80 Square Yards of LINOLEUM.

THE MERCHANDISE CONSISTS OF 12 doz. Comp. Kewpies, 8/12 Puzzle Sets, 2 doz. Writing Boxes, 12 doz. Antimony Midget P. Frames, 7/12 Cabinet Ditto, 2 doz. Patriotic Pincushions, 11/12 Printing Outfits, 6 1/3 doz. Antimony Kang and Shoe Pincushions, 2 doz. Jap. Slippers, 2 1/12 doz. Hammocks, 2 8/12 Aust. Flags, 9/12 Cricket Bats, 5/12 Tennis Raquets, 9/12 C. Balls, 4/12 Hand, and Glove Boxes, 11/12 Workboxes, 10/12 Coral Necks., 3 11/12 Plum Fountain Pens, 14 5/12 Jap. Paper Fans, 2 doz. Purses, 4 doz. Hand Sachets, also 75 gross of brass paper fasteners—a scarce trade line—a quantity of Scout Games, Music Cases, Baseballers, Celluloid Figure Tumblers, Dolls Dressed, Paint Boxes, Mouth Organs, Suede Purses, Enamelled Handbags, Box Kites, Skipping Ropes. The above will be sold in trade lots. Open for inspection at 1 o'clock, until hour of sale. THIS (THURSDAY) AFTERNOON, AT 2.30.

E. HEBDEN BRODRIBB, Under Imperative Instructions, will sell as above.

AUCTION FURNITURE SALE.

TO-MORROW, FRIDAY,

AT THE COMMODIOUS SALEROOMS, 66-68 CITY-ROAD, CITY.

DRAWING, DINING, HALL, DOUBLE AND SINGLE BEDROOM APPOINTMENTS, KITCHEN, YARD, AND LAUNDRY UTENSILS, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, CUTLERY, VASES, AND ORNAMENTS, CARPETS, RUGS, AND CURTAINS, Equal to New. A GOOD LOT OF SUNDRIES, in Splendid Order. ALSO AT 12.30, 5 UP-TO-DATE PIANOS AND 3 ORGANS, ROLL-TOP DESKS, OFFICE TABLES, IRON SAFES and OTHER OFFICE REQUIREMENTS.

E. H. BRODRIBB, 66 AND 68 CITY-ROAD. Tel., 683 REDFERN.

AUCTION SALES.

IMPORTANT FURNITURE SALE.

THIS DAY, THURSDAY,

AT 10.30 SHARP,

AT THE CENTRAL SALE ROOMS, OF

W. A. LITTLE,

42 CASTLEREAGH-STREET,

WITH SEPARATE ENTRANCE,

51 AND 53 ELIZABETH-STREET.

VALUABLE MODERN FURNITURE AND GENERAL HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS, REMOVED TO THE ROOMS FOR CONVENIENCE OF SALE.

FROM THE RESIDENCE of J. PEARSON, Esq., HUNTER'S HILL, and ON ACCOUNT OF SEVERAL OTHER PRIVATE INTERESTS.

INCLUDING TABLE GLASS, CHINA, AND ELECTROPLATE.

SUPERIOR AXMINSTER AND WILTON PILE CARPETS,

IN PRACTICALLY NEW ORDER.

CARVED WALNUT DINING-ROOM SUITE, UPHOLSTERED IN GENUINE BUFFALO HIDE.

ENGLISH ASH DINING-ROOM SUITE (made by W. Walker and Sons, London),

LUXURIOUS CHESTERFIELD,

and EASY ARM CHAIRS.

ESCRITOIRE BOOKCASES.

OFFICE FURNITURE,

OAK ROLL TOP DESKS,

VALUABLE WALNUT ROLL TOP DESK,

OFFICE TABLES AND CHAIRS, LEDGER DESKS, TYPEWRITERS, REVOLVING BOOKSTANDS.

NATIONAL CASH REGISTERS,

3d to 12/6 and 4½d to 15/.

NICKEL BATH-HEATER (Gas), BY HUMPHREY and CO.

VALUABLE PIANOFORTES,

BY WILMER, J. and J. HOPKINSON, AND OTHERS.

COMBINATION PLAYER PIANOS, by ANGELUS SQUIRE, THERNOLA.

SEVERAL PIANOLAS.

SIX FEET ASH BEDROOM SUITE.
SIX FEET WALNUT BEDROOM SUITE.
SIX FEET ASH AND WALNUT BEDROOM SUITE.
SIX FEET STAINED WALNUT BEDROOM SUITE.

OAK AND MAPLE BEDROOM SUITES, with BEDSTEADS TO MATCH. For Double and Single Rooms. ROSEWOOD INLAID BEDSTEAD.

OAK AND MAPLE LOUGHBOY CHESTS.

AT

12 O'CLOCK NOON PROMPT.

FIAT MOTOR CAR,

24-H.P., TOGETHER WITH ALL UP-TO-DATE MODERN REQUIREMENTS AND ACCESSORIES, GUARANTEED BY OWNER, WHO HAS NO FURTHER USE FOR THE CAR, TO BE IN PERFECT RUNNING ORDER. THIS CAR IS AN EXCEPTIONALLY WELL-FOUND, HANDSOME CAR, AND WILL BE SOLD WITHOUT RESERVE.

12-14 H.P. F.N. MOTOR CAR, SINGLE-SEATER, 4-CYLINDER, GUARANTEED BY OWNER TO BE IN GOOD RUNNING ORDER.

PAIR GOERZ FIELD GLASSES,

LARGE ASSORTMENT OF BUNGALOW ELECTRIC TABLE LAMPS.

COLLECTION OF MEDICAL INSTRUMENTS. ICE CHESTS.

80 TOBACCO-CUTTING MACHINES.

ENGINEER'S SCREW-CUTTING LATHE,

6FT BED, 5½-INCH CENTRE, WITH FULL SET OF CHUCKS AND GEAR WHEELS.

ALSO, AN EXTENSIVE CATALOGUE of GENERAL HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.

***ON VIEW PRIOR TO SALE THIS MORNING, FROM 9 TILL 10.30.

W. A. LITTLE, GENERAL AUCTIONEER AND VALUATOR, 42 CASTLEREAGH-STREET, WITH SEPARATE ENTRANCE, 51 AND 53 ELIZABETH-STREET. TELEPHONE, CITY 4936.

RANDWICK.

UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.

THIS DAY, THURSDAY, MARCH 8,

AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M., BY ORDER OF

T. B. NICHOLSON, ESQ.,

ON ACCOUNT OF RELINQUISHING HOUSEKEEPING, THE WHOLE OF THE MODERN FURNITURE AND GENERAL HOUSEHOLD APPOINTMENTS CONTAINED IN THE RESIDENCE,

"LEURA,"

FRENCHMAN'S-ROAD, RANDWICK

(NEAR THE WIRELESS STATION), INCLUDING THE COMPLETE FURNISHINGS OF DINING AND SITTING ROOMS, FOUR BEDROOMS, KITCHEN AND LAUNDRY FURNITURE AND REQUISITES.

QUANTITY CORRUGATED GALVANISED IRON, ETC., ETC.

On view This (Thursday) Morning, prior to Sale, from 9 o'clock.

W. A. LITTLE, GENERAL AUCTIONEER, 42 CASTLEREAGH-STREET, TELEPHONE, CITY 4936.

TO-DAY, AT 11 A.M., TO-DAY.

AT 280 ELIZABETH-ST, almost opposite the Central Station.

Removed from DARLINGHURST for UNRESERVED SALE, the entire contents of a RESIDENTIAL CHAMBERS of OVER 20 ROOMS.

Walnut and Oak Double and Single Bedroom Suites, Large Combination Chests, Overmantels, Sideboards, Dining Suites, Couches, Lounges, Settees, Cedar 7-drawer Chests, Hallstands, Washstands. VERY LARGE Assortment of LINOS., suit any room, also Stair and Hall Runners and Carpets. Very Large ICE CHEST, suitable for shop, also DAYTON SCALES, SHOP FITTINGS, COUNTERS, Etc. etc.

ALSO IN A DECEASED ESTATE, a very fine variety of Clothing, Blankets, Quilts, Sheets, Runners, and Useful Linen of all kinds.

CARPENTER'S CHEST OF TOOLS, in splendid order, JEWELLER'S LATHE and Sundries.

Some very fine PICTURES, ORNAMENTS, TECHNICAL and MEDICAL BOOKS, also Novels, etc.

Dining, Kitchen, and Occasional Tables, Austrian, Sea Grass, Oak and Upholstered Chairs, Kitchen Dressers, Safes, Enamel Ware, Crockery, large quantity of excellent Tea, Sundries, and Useful articles of all descriptions.

Gas Stoves, Electric Overhead Fans, Camera, etc., etc. etc.

To the trade and those about to Furnish we can recommend this sale with the utmost confidence. TERMS CASH. NO RESERVE.

STOKES AND CO., AUCTIONEERS, VALUATORS for PROBATE, Etc. etc. NOTE ADDRESS: 280 ELIZABETH-STREET, next Toohey's Brewery. 'Phone, City 951. OUTDOOR SALES CONDUCTED. LOWEST TERMS.

AVOCA-ST, RANDWICK.—SITES, TRAMWAY EXT. ESTATE, NEXT SAT. H. and G.

AUCTION SALES.

MARRICKVILLE.

ATTRACTIVE AUCTION SALE,

TO-MORROW, FRIDAY, MARCH 9, 1917,

AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M.,

BY ORDER OF

W. WILLIAMS, ESQ.,

IN CONSEQUENCE OF RETIRING FROM BUSINESS, AT THE CORNER OF

FRAMPTON-AVENUE AND

161 MARRICKVILLE-ROAD,

MARRICKVILLE,

INCLUDING CHINA AND GLASSWARE, DINING-ROOM FURNITURE, KITCHEN AND LAUNDRY FURNITURE, AND REQUISITES. ALSO, THE FURNITURE AND FITTINGS OF

A MODERN REFRESHMENT BUSINESS,

INCLUDING THE STOCK OF SWEETS, FRESH AND WELL ASSORTED.

VALUABLE SODA FOUNTAIN,

COMPLETE WITH OROYA AMERICAN 3-PULL ARM, NINE ELECTRIC LIGHTS, ON ONYX BASE, TOGETHER WITH HYDRAULIC CARBURETTER AND FITTINGS.

100 BOTTLES PURE FRUIT JUICE.

MARBLE COUNTER, WITH OAK UNDERFRAME. SHELVES, FITTINGS, AND SHOWCASES, 12ft CEDAR COUNTER, WITH 4ft MARBLE SLABS, 12 BEST QUALITY AUSTRIAN CHAIRS.

*** The Business will be first offered as a going concern. Failing a satisfactory bid, it will be sold in separate lots, as per the Auctioneer's List. The Furniture and Household Effects will be sold immediately after the business.

ON VIEW PRIOR TO SALE ON FRIDAY MORNING FROM 9 O'CLOCK. NO RESERVE. TERMS CASH.

W. A. LITTLE, GENERAL AUCTIONEER, 42 CASTLEREAGH-STREET.

TELEPHONE, CITY 4936.

TO-DAY, THURSDAY,

AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK SHARP.

AT OUR SALEROOMS,

NO. 200 CASTLEREAGH-STREET,

FOUR DOORS SOUTH OF PARK-STREET.

ON ACCOUNT OF ALL CONCERNED.

28 CASES "AYERS" CHERRY PECTORAL, Ea. 3 dozen, in assorted sizes

100 DOZEN AYERS' PILLS.

4 IMPORTED GAS STOVES BY G. WILSON and SONS, LEEDS.

Also a very Large Assortment of GENERAL HOUSEHOLD IRONMONGERY, including A Very Large Assortment of Finest Quality of BRACE BITS, HASPS and STAPLES, PADLOCKS, RATCHET SPANNERS, LAMP CHIMNEYS, BITS, AWLS, PLIERS, CUTTERS, VYCES, STOCKS and DIES, CARRIAGE BOLTS, GLOBES, SHADES, TOOLS and numerous sundry lines.

8 CASES JAPANESE SCREENS.
7 CASES GLASS ELECTRIC SHADES.

10 CASES OILSKIN COATS, EA. 24.

30 LADIES' FINEST QUALITY MACINTOSHES.
17 Dozen ASSORTED BATHING COSTUMES.

160 PIECES FLANNELETTE, ea. 50 yds., comprising
40 Pcs. Red Check, 40 Pieces Natural Check,
60 Pcs. Blue Check, 20 Pcs. Grey Check.

260 DOZEN ASSORTED BELT BUCKLES.

48 CASES SASH FASTENERS, ea. 77 dozen.
41½ DOZEN WASHING BASINS, 30 C.M.
40 DOZEN SOUP PLATES, 20 and 26 C.M.

5 CASES GREY ENAMEL KETTLES, ea. 8 dozen.

176 DOZEN "GALVO" FILTERS, assorted sizes.
200 DOZEN "GALVO" FIRE EXTINGUISHERS.

7 CASES JAPANESE STRAWS, ea. 100 Boxes.
17 CARTONS SCOTCH MIXTURE, ea. 14lb.

Also THE BALANCE OF THE SALVAGE REMOVED from the RECENT FIRE AT Messrs. W. H. HILLS, LTD., DIXON-STREET, comprising, ASSORTED PAPERS OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS.

IN AN ASSIGNED ESTATE. 23 SINGER SEWING MACHINES (in good order and condition).

ONE SODA FOUNTAIN, with all ACCESSORIES. "CHILCOTT" ICE CHEST.

Also, OFFICE FURNITURE and FITTINGS.

Also, MAXWELL MOTOR CAR, 10/12-h.p. single seater, Dual ignition, and accessories.

And CHALMERS MOTOR CAR, 30-H.P., SINGLE SEATER, SIMS MAGNETO, ZENITH CARBURETTER, DUAL IGNITION, and all accessories.

DEAN, VALANTINE, AND COMPANY, GENERAL AUCTIONEERS, NO. 200 CASTLEREAGH-STREET. TELEPHONE, CITY 7802.

THIS DAY, AT 11 O'CLOCK, AT THE AUCTION ROOMS, 392 PITT-STREET, one door from Goulburn-street.

UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION OF VALUABLE DIAMOND JEWELLERY, GOLD WATCHES, ETC., including:—

SINGLE STONE, HALF-HOOP, and CLUSTER DIAMOND RINGS.
GOLD HUNTING KEYLESS CHRONOGRAPHS, WALTHAM, AND ENGLISH LEVER WATCHES.
DIAMOND BROOCHES, PENDANTS, EARRINGS, STUDS, and BREAST-PINS.
GOLD ALBERTS, NECKLETS, BANGLES, LINKS, SOLITAIRES, ETC.
ENGAGEMENT, SIGNET, CAMEO, AND NUGGET RINGS.

JOHN P. LISTER has received instructions from Messrs. JOE DAVIS, LIMITED, of the CAMBRIDGE LOAN OFFICE, 26 PARK-STREET, CITY, TO SELL THE WHOLE OF THE EXPIRED UNREDEEMED JEWELLERY.

TO PARTIES FURNISHING, DEALERS, and OTHERS. THIS DAY, THURSDAY, AT 11 O'CLOCK, HENRY LEVY will sell by Auction, at his Rooms, 125 Regent-street, city, on account of several owners, Walnut Piano, Chests Drawers, Washstands, Toilet Wares and Tables, Dressers, Safes, Tables, Chairs, D.R. Suites, Couches, Rockers, Mirrors, Bedsteads, Wires, Bedding, Linoleums, Carpets, Hallstand, Pictures, Sewing Machines, Crockery, Cooking Utensils, Lounge, Venetian and Roller Blinds. At 2 o'clock: Men's Sac Suits, Shirts, Trousers, new and second-hand Boots, Ladies' Dresses, etc. No Reserve.

NORTH SYDNEY.

AUCTION SALE OF BUILDING MATERIAL contained in 9-room Dwelling situated in RANGER'S-ROAD, off Military-road, NEUTRAL BAY, on SATURDAY NEXT, at 2.30 p.m. The Lot comprises

100 SHEETS GAL. IRON.
2000 MACHINE BRICKS.
20 Loads good SQUARE STONE.
2000ft 4 x 2 OREGON STUDS, 11ft 6in long.
3000ft 3 x 2, 4 x 2 H.W. STUDS.
2000ft 5 x 2 HARDWOOD PLATES.
1000ft 5 x 5 HARDWOOD PLATES, 6 x 2, 4 x 2 H'WOOD JOISTS and RAFTERS.
2000ft 10 x 1 PINE BOARDS.
1000ft OREGON FLOORING.
H.W. FLOORING, Panel and Ledge Doors, Frames, and Sashes, etc.

G. L. COOPER will sell the above, WITHOUT RESERVE. Address, 37 Hume-street, N.S. Tel., 1579 N.S.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

SALE OF HIGH-CLASS BUILDING MATERIALS, situate DARGHAN-STREET, GLEBE,

TUESDAY, MARCH 13, AT 11 A.M.

40,000 MACHINE BRICKS, 250 SHEETS GAL. IRON, 2000ft 6 x 2 and 5 x 2 H.W. JOISTS, 4 x 2 and 3 x 2 RAFTERS, PINE BATTENS. 2000ft 4 x 1 T. and G. PINE FLOORING, 2000ft BALTIC LINING, PANEL and LEDGE DOORS, etc.

G. L. COOPER will sell, as above. For full particulars see Saturday's S.M. Herald.

BUILDING MATERIALS.

THIS DAY, THURSDAY, MARCH 8, AT 11 A.M. 211 COWPER-ST, WAVERLEY, near Public School.

300 Sheets Gal. Iron, 5 to 10 ft, good lot.
2000ft H.W. Joists, 6 x 2, 4 x 2.
2000ft H.W. Rafters, 4 x 2, 3 x 2.
2000ft Oregon, 4 x 2, 3 x 2.
H.W. and Oregon Battens.
5000ft H.W. and T. and G. Flooring.
4000ft Lining, tip-top lot.
3000ft Partition Boards, good as new.
Mantels and Grates, Box F. and Sashes, Panel and Led. Doors, 100 Loads of Stone, and a host of Sundries.

ALF EDGAR has received instructions from Mr. S. Davidson to sell the above First-class Lot of Materials. Tel., 623 Rand.

AUCTION SALE OF BUILDING MATERIALS, THIS (THURSDAY) MORNING, AT 11 O'CLOCK, On the Premises, 728 DARLING-STREET, BALMAIN (Near Rozelle Post-office).

Quantity of BUILDING MATERIALS, including 300 SHEETS GALVANISED IRON.

W. J. LAWS and PLOWRIGHT, AUCTIONEERS, ... Darling-street, BALMAIN, WILL SELL AS ABOVE.

AUCTION SALES.

THIS DAY, THURSDAY, MARCH 8, at Yaralla-chambers, 109 Pitt-street,

AT 11 A.M.

By order of Mr. N. Y. DEANE, TRUSTEE, on instructions from MESSRS. A. J. HAYNES, LTD., HAIRDRESSERS,

THE WHOLE OF THEIR STOCK-IN-TRADE, TOGETHER WITH THE FURNITURE, FITTINGS, ETC. 7 ARCHER BARBER'S CHAIRS. NATIONAL CASH REGISTER.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

FRASER, UTHER, AND CO., LTD., AUCTIONEERS. City address, 3 Hamilton-street. Telephone, City 8877.

***INSPECTION FROM 9 A.M.

TO-MORROW, FRIDAY, MARCH 9, at the foot of Johnston-street, Balmain,

AT 3 P.M.

Under instructions from THE COUNCIL of the MUNICIPALITY OF BALMAIN.

PONTOON FLOATING BATHS, consisting of 12 pontoons (6 large and 6 small). (Two of the large pontoons not 12 months old.) Together with the ELECTRICAL FITTINGS, STOCK OF BATHING COSTUMES, TOWELS, etc.

8 LARGE GUIDE PILES.
6 BLOCKS AND TACKLE, with hooks complete.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS AT SALE.

OPEN FOR INSPECTION DAILY, 9 TO 4.

FRASER, UTHER, AND CO., LTD., have received instructions to sell by auction, as above. City address, 3 Hamilton-street. Telephone, City 8877.

ORDER OF SALE.

CITY AND SUBURBAN PROPERTIES, to be SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at the ROOMS, 92 PITT-STREET, AT 11.30 A.M.

TO-MORROW, FRIDAY.

CITY.—Professional Chambers, No. 151 Elizabeth-street, between Market and Park streets, with right-of-way to Castlereagh-street.

CITY.—Triangle Corner Land, Randle-street, between Elizabeth and Castlereagh streets.

CITY.—Two Shops and Dwellings, Nos. 85 and 87 Shepherd-street, with W.B. House, Shepherd-lane, at rear. Executors' Sale.

CITY.—Two Shops and Dwellings, Nos. 81 and 83 Shepherd-street, adjoining above. Executors' Sale.

SURRY HILLS.—House, No. 133 Kippax-street, near Lacey-street.

CAMPERDOWN.—Dwelling, No. 14 English-street, near Missenden-road. Executors' Sale.

KIRRIBILLI, North Sydney.—Residence, "Ladore," No. 44 Carabella-street, between Peel and Parkes-street.

WOOLLAHRA.—Two Cottages, Nos. 95 and 97 Grafton-street, between Vernon and Rowe streets, LEASEHOLD. Executors' Sale. IN ONE OR TWO LOTS.

ROSE BAY.—Two Pairs Semi-detached Cottages, Belmont-street, between Old and New South Heads Roads.

ROSE BAY.—Three Detached Villas, Nos. 2, 4, and 6 Dover-road, close to tram stop.

MOSMAN.—Cottage, "Otira," No. 12 Nyahgah-road, between Military-road and Lennon-street.

PENNANT HILLS.—Bungalow Cottage, "Ambleside," and 1a Acres, off Dural-road, corner of Victoria-road.

COOGEE.—Corner Allotment of Land, Brook-street and Allison-road.

COOGEE.—Corner Allotment of Land, Belmore-road and Byron-street.

DOLL'S POINT, Sandringham.—Cottage, Russell-avenue.

PARRAMATTA.—Allotment of Land, Marsden-street, with Old Stone Dwelling thereon. Executors' Sale.

PARRAMATTA.—Two Semi-detached Cottages, Early-street, off Church-street. Executors' Sale.

FAIRFIELD.—Five Allotments, Madeline and Vivian streets, Avoca Estate. Executors' Sale.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, LTD.

MOSMAN.

A Detached Double-fronted COTTAGE, known as Otira, No. 12 MYAHGAH-ROAD (east side), close to the Town Hall and Fire Brigade Station, between the Military-road and Lennon-street. Built of brick, on stone foundations, tiled roof, verandah (tiled) in front and rear, bay window, hall, 7 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, laundry, sheds. Land 50ft x 144ft. (In conjunction with F. Leahy, Mosman.)

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, 92 Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 9th MARCH, at 11.30 a.m., The above. (6097)

ORDER OF SALE.

TO-DAY, THURSDAY, AT 11.30.

REAL ESTATE AUCTION ROOMS,

26 Castlereagh-street.

REDFERN.—Brick Residence, 345 Abercrombie-street, 8 rooms and all offices. FREEHOLD.

MAROUBRA.—Superior Building Allotment, [illegible], 99 x 200 (about). TORRENS.

WAHROONGA.—Family Residence, brick on stone, 9 good rooms, 2 acres ground. TORRENS.

PENSHURST.—Building Allotments, 100ft to Victoria-avenue. TORRENS.

ROOTY HILL.—Building Allotments, having 110ft to Cheviot-street, and 110ft to Clader-street. TORRENS.

MANLY.—Building Allotments, 40ft to Thornton-street, TORRENS.

Further particulars from Auctioneers,

H. W. HORNING AND CO., LTD.,

131 Pitt-street, Sydney.

ORDER OF SALE.

SHARES and PROPERTIES to be submitted by PUBLIC AUCTION by HUGH DUFF and CO., at their Salerooms, 283 George-street, THIS DAY, at 11.30 a.m.

SHARES.—2 Civil Service Co-op. Society.

TURRAMURRA. Tennyson-avenue.—2 Det. Brick Cottages, LEVUKA and LA BOIS, verandahs front and rear, and contains hall, 3 large rooms, kitchen, pantry, bathroom, kitchen, and laundry. Land 84 x 240.

LEICHHARDT. 177 Norton-street.—2-story Brick House, 5 rms., kit., bathrm., ldry., side entrance, workshop, and stables. Land 42 x 124. Torrens.

HUGH DUFF and CO., Auctioneers and Sworn Valuators, 283 George-street, Chatswood, and Mosman.

EXTRAORDINARY AUCTION SALE of

MINING MACHINERY, BUILDINGS, INTEREST IN LEASES, ETC., ETC.

known generally as THE COSMOPOLITAN GOLD MINING COMPANY, HILLGROVE.

MORGAN STEPHENS, Auctioneer, has received instructions from C. F. W. Lloyd, Esq., Official Assignee, of Sydney, to sell by Public Auction, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 10, 1917.

The whole of the MACHINERY, BUILDINGS, etc., etc., also INTEREST IN THE MINING LEASES of the above Mine, on behalf of the parties concerned.

BRIEF SUMMARY OF THE PLANT:

Large Tanks, Boiler, Winding Engine complete (about 800ft of Steel Cable), Worthington Condenser, Air Compressor, Vertical Engine, Air Receiver, Westinghouse Electric Motors, Motor Case, Steam Winch and Rope, Five-head Battery, Gas Generator, Scrubber and Engine Complete, Huntington Mill, with Mullers and Fittings, etc., Shafts, Pulleys, Belting, etc.

Two Challenge Ore-feeders, Crab Winch, Benzine Winding Engine, Electric Dynamo, Switchboard and Fittings, Winding Engine, with Drums and Hauling Ropes.

Cage and Water Tank.

Wilfley Concentrating Tables, Copper Plates, Iron Safes, Theodolite, Gold Scales and Weights (large and small), Assay Scales, Stocks and Dies, Anvil, Trucks, Flat-sheets, large quantity of Steel Rails (mixed lengths), Truck Wheels, Chain Blocks, Piping, Pumps, Berdan Pans.

About 5 tons of Galvanised Iron, also Timber, Floors, Fittings, Windows, etc.

Assorted Mining Requisites and Stores.

About 5000ft of medium-weight Steel Rails.

TERMS: Cash on the fall of the hammer. Sales start at 11 a.m. sharp on SATURDAY, March 10.

Motor Cars leave Armidale daily on arrival of Brisbane Mail, and reach Hillgrove at 9 a.m., also on arrival of Glen Innes Passenger, thence reaching Hillgrove at about 12.30. Leaving again in time to catch either the Glen Innes Passenger or Brisbane Mail at night.

For further particulars apply to MORGAN STEPHENS, Auctioneer, Bracken-street, Hillgrove, N.S.W., or to C. F. W. LLOYD, Esq., Official Assignee, Sydney, and Messrs. McNAMARA and SMITH, Solicitors, Sydney, and VILLENEUVE-SMITH and DAWES, Solicitors, Sydney.

CRONULLA. CRONULLA.

TRUSTEES' SALE.

BUNGALOW RESIDENCE, NEW, Roughcast, Lath and Plaster inside, 8ft verandahs front and side, back ver., all enclosed 8ft high, hall, 4 bedrooms, dining-room, kit., 2 linen presses, large larder, and cellar, laundry, bathroom, dressing-room, Motor Garage. ALL ROOMS ARE LARGE AND LOFTY. LAND 49ft x 122ft 10in, Torrens.

This Choice Property is situated within 3 minutes of Main Surf Beach, 2 mins. tram. Excellent Letting Investment.

C. MONRO, Auctioneer, Cronulla, has received instructions to sell the above-described Property by PUBLIC AUCTION, in his Rooms, Cronulla, on SATURDAY, the 17th MARCH, 1917, at 2.30 p.m. Messrs. M'LACHLAN and MURRAY, Solicitors to the Estate, King-street, city.

CRONULLA. CRONULLA.

LARGE COTTAGE RESIDENCE, 8 LARGE ROOMS, verandahs, Wide Hall, BATHROOM, pantries, in splendid condition. Land 100ft x 132ft, Torrens. Room for tennis court, right on surf, uninterrupted view of ocean, 1 min. tram. Choicest position in Cronulla. SUITABLE FOR GENTLEMAN'S RESIDENCE OR BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT. EASY TERMS IF REQUIRED.

C. MONRO, Auctioneer, Cronulla, has received instructions to sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, in his Rooms, Cronulla, SATURDAY, 17th MARCH, 1917, at 2.30 p.m.

RANDWICK.—NEXT SAT., TRAMWAY EXTENSION ESTATE, AVOCA-ST. H. and G.

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Matter of the Estate of EMILY COTT, late of St. Marys, in the State of New South Wales, Hotelkeeper, deceased.—Pursuant to the Wills Probate and Administration Act, 1898, Notice is hereby given that every creditor or other person having any claim against the Estate of the abovenamed deceased, who died on or about the thirteenth day of August, 1906, and an order to collect was on the nineteenth day of October, 1906, granted by the Supreme Court of New South Wales to the then CURATOR OF INTESTATE ESTATES, is hereby required to send particulars in writing of such claim to the Public Trustee on or before the seventh day of June, 1917, at the expiration of which time the said Public Trustee will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he then has notice. And notice is hereby further given that the said Public Trustee will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution. T. W. GARRETT, Public Trustee. Culwulla-chambers, 67 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of JASON TAYLOR, late of Waverley, in the State of New South Wales, and of the Australian Imperial Expeditionary Forces on Active Service, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to the PUBLIC TRUSTEE; and all persons having claims against the said Estate must render same in detail to the Public Trustee on or before the 8th day of April, 1917. T. W. GARRETT, Public Trustee, Culwulla-chambers, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of MICHELO FRANCISCO PARLOTO, late of Wolfram-street, Broken Hill, in the State of New South Wales, Miner, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to the PUBLIC TRUSTEE; and all persons having claims against the said Estate must render same in detail to the Public Trustee on or before the 8th day of April, 1917. T. W. GARRETT, Public Trustee, Culwulla-chambers, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of THOMAS TRACEY EYRES, late of Wilton-street, Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Railway Employee, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate, with the Will annexed, of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to the PUBLIC TRUSTEE; and all persons having claims against the said Estate must render same in detail to the Public Trustee on or before the 8th day of April, 1917. T. W. GARRETT, Public Trustee, Culwulla-chambers, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of WILLIAM HERBERT HICKS, late of Blacktown, in the State of New South Wales, and of the Australian Imperial Expeditionary Forces, on Active Service, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that administration of the Estate, with the Will annexed, of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to the PUBLIC TRUSTEE; and all persons having claims against the said Estate must render same in detail to the Public Trustee on or before the 8th day of April, 1917. T. W. GARRETT, Public Trustee, Culwulla-chambers, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of EDWARD MARGORAM or MARJORAM, late of Woodview, Trundle, in the State of New South Wales, Labourer, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to the PUBLIC TRUSTEE; and all persons having claims against the said Estate must render same in detail to the Public Trustee on or before the 8th day of April, 1917. T. W. GARRETT, Public Trustee, Culwulla-chambers, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of HENRY BURT, late of Pitt Town, Wallsend, in the State of New South Wales, Miner, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to the PUBLIC TRUSTEE; and all persons having claims against the said Estate must render same in detail to the Public Trustee on or before the 8th day of April, 1917. T. W. GARRETT, Public Trustee, Culwulla-chambers, Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of ANNIE JOHNS, late of Bankstown, near Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Widow, deceased.—NOTICE is hereby given that the first Accounts of the Executors in the above Estate have been filed in my office, Elizabeth-street, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said Estate, or being otherwise interested therein, are hereby required to come in before me at my said office on or before the fourth day of April, at 11.15 o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit object thereto; otherwise if the said Accounts be not objected to the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. And Notice is also hereby given that on the allowance of the said Accounts by the Court commission will be applied for on behalf of the said Executors. Dated this seventh day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and seventeen. R. C. MONDAY, Registrar. S. E. COOK, Solicitor, 113 Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of JOHN GRAY, late of Stoney Creek, near Albion Park, in the State of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that the Accounts in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Supreme Court, King-street, Sydney, and all persons having any claims on the said Estate, or being otherwise interested therein, are hereby required to come in before me, at my said office, on or before the 4th day of April, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit object thereto; otherwise, if the said Accounts be not objected to, the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. And notice is also hereby given that on the allowance of the said Accounts by the Court commission will be applied for on behalf of the said Executors. Dated this 7th day of March, A.D. 1917. R. C. MONDAY (L.S.), Registrar. RYAN and SON, Proctors for the Executors, Kiama. By their Agents, WEAVER and ALLWORTH, Australasia-chambers, Martin-place, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of JAMES WILEY, late of Nowra, in the State of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased.—NOTICE is hereby given that the Accounts in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Supreme Court, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said Estate or being otherwise interested therein are hereby required to come in before me at my said office on or before the fourth day of April, 1917, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit object thereto; otherwise if the said Accounts be not objected to the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. Dated this seventh day of March, 1917. R. C. MONDAY (L.S.), Registrar of Probates. MARRIOTT and OLIVER, Proctors for Executors, Nowra. By their Agents, PERKINS, STEVENSON, and CO., 122 Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—No. 238,984.—In the Will and Codicils of SAMUEL WILLIAM ABBOTT, late of Oberne, near Tarcutta, in the State of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that the First Account of ALISTER MACPHERSON, the Trustee of the Will of the abovenamed SAMUEL WILLIAM ABBOTT, deceased, being the Third Account in the said Estate, has this day been filed in my office, Supreme Court, King-street, Sydney, and all persons having any claims against the said Estate, or being otherwise interested therein, are hereby required to come in before me at my said office on or before Monday, the Second Day of April, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, at a quarter-past twelve o'clock in the afternoon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit object thereto; otherwise if the said Account be not objected to the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. And Notice is also hereby given that on the allowance of the said Account by the Court commission will be applied for on behalf of the said Trustee. Dated this fifth day of March, 1917. R. C. MONDAY (L.S.), Registrar. HEATH and MITCHELMORE, Proctors for the Trustee, Wagga Wagga. By GARLAND, SEABORN, and ABBOTT, their Agents, Bull's-chambers, 14 Moore-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of ARTHUR LESLIE RYALL, late of Spring Plain, near Cooma, in the State of New South Wales, Stud Master, deceased, intestate.—Pursuant to the Wills Probate and Administration Act, 1898, Notice is hereby given that every Creditor or other person having any claim against the Estate of ARTHUR LESLIE RYALL, the abovenamed deceased, who died on or about the twentieth day of August, 1916, and administration of whose Estate was on the eighth day of December, 1916, granted by the Supreme Court of New South Wales to ALFRED RYALL, the Father and sole next-of-kin of the said deceased, is hereby required to send particulars in writing of such claim to the said Alfred Ryall, in care of the undersigned, at their office hereunder mentioned, on or before the thirtieth day of April next, at the expiration of which time the said Alfred Ryall will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he then has notice. And Notice is hereby further given that the said Alfred Ryall will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this fifth day of March, 1917. BLAXLAND, MAWSON, and ROSE, Solicitors, Cooma.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of ROGER FORREST HUGHES, late of Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, a Captain in the Army Medical Corps of the Australian Imperial Expeditionary Forces on Active Service, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will and Testament of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to EILEEN IVIA SARA FORREST HUGHES, the Wife of the said deceased and the Sole Executrix named in the said Will, and all notices may be served at the offices of the undersigned, to whom all creditors, if any, are requested to send particulars of their claims within such fourteen days as aforesaid. HUGHES and HUGHES, Proctors for the Executrix, Hunter House, 26 Hunter-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of CHARLES ANDERSON, late of Brocklesby, near Corowa, in the State of New South Wales, Retired Grazier, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to JANE CHALMERS BURCHILL and ALEXANDER GELLATLY ANDERSON, the Executrix and Executor respectively named in the said Will. And all notices may be served at the offices of FRANK A. DAVENPORT and SON, Solicitors, Ocean House, Moore-street, Sydney. All creditors and other persons having any claims against the Estate of the said deceased are hereby required to send in particulars of the same to the undersigned, E. REGINALD NICOLSON, within the fourteen days aforesaid. E. REGINALD NICOLSON, Proctor for the Executrix and Executor, Sanger-street, Corowa. By his Agents, FRANK A. DAVENPORT and SON, Solicitors, Ocean House, Moore-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of GEORGE PEACOCK EDWARDS, late of Colibee, near Gunnedah, in the State of New South Wales, Grazier (a Lieutenant in the Australian Imperial Expeditionary Forces), deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Letters of Administration, with the Will annexed, of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to NORMAN COX ROWLING, the Attorney for CLIFFORD HALLAM EDWARDS, one of the Executors in the said Will named (Edmund Harvey Thompson, the other Executor named in the said Will, having renounced Probate), and all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned, to whom all persons having any claims against the said Estate are required to send particulars thereof within the said period of fourteen days. GEO. H. TURNER, Proctor for Administrator, 26 Hunter-street, Sydney.

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of HARRIET HERDEN, late of Dungowan, in the State of New South Wales, Married Woman, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will and Testament of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to CHARLES HERDEN, of Dungowan aforesaid, Farmer, a Son and one of the Executors named in the said Will (the other Executor in the said Will named having renounced Probate thereof), and all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned, to whom all persons having claims against the Estate of the said deceased are requested to forward particulars thereof within the said fourteen days. PATTERSON and LAMROCK, Proctors for Executor, Tamworth. By their Agents, DEANE and DEANE, 33 Rowe-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of WILLIAM GEORGE HOAD, late of Somerton, in the State of New South Wales, Farmer and Grazier, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will and Testament of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to THOMAS JOHN TRELOAR and FREDERICK LESLIE HOAD, the Executors named in the said Will; and all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned, to whom all persons having claims against the Estate of the said deceased are requested to forward particulars thereof within the said fourteen days. PATTERSON and LAMROCK, Proctors for Executors, Tamworth. By their Agents, DEANE and DEANE, 33 Rowe-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of JAMES RHODES, late of Whitton, in the State of New South Wales, Labourer, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will and Testament of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to EMANUEL RHODES, a son of the said deceased, the Executor named in the said Will, and all notices may be served at the offices of the undersigned, to whom all persons having any claim against the Estate of the said deceased are required to furnish particulars of such Claims within the said period of fourteen days. KERSHAW, MATTHEWS, and LANE, Proctors for the Applicant, Narrandera, and Ocean House, Moore-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of VICTOR DIXON MARSHALL, late of Bondi, in the State of New South Wales, Clerk, and a Member of the Australian Imperial Expeditionary Forces, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to EUNICE IVERACH, the Executrix named in the said Will; and all notices may be served at and all claims should be sent in to the office of the undersigned within the said period of fourteen days. ALLEN, ALLEN, and HEMSLEY, Proctors for the said Executrix, Australasia-chambers, Martin-place, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of FRANCIS ANDERSON WINKLEY, late of Bellingen, in the State of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to GEORGE WINKLEY, of Newcastle, Clerk, the Father of the said deceased; and all notices may be served at the offices of the undersigned, and all creditors, if any, are requested to send particulars of their claims to the undersigned within such fourteen days. BRAYE and COHEN, Proctors, Bolton-street, Newcastle. By their Agents, BUCHANAN and SMITHERS, 2 Hunter-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of HENRY EDWARD MASTERS, late of Camden, in the State of New South Wales, Dairy Farmer, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to GEORGINA GERTRUDE MASTERS, the Widow of the deceased, and the Sole Executrix named in the said Will; and all Notices may be served at the office of the undersigned, and all claims must be rendered to the undersigned within such fourteen days. FREDERIC ROBISON COWPER, Proctor for Executrix, 114A Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of PATRICK DOWNEY, late of Leichhardt, near Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Retired School Attendance Officer, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will and Testament of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to AGNES JANE DOWNEY, the Sole Executrix in the said Will named. All creditors are requested to send in particulars of their claims to, and all notices may be served at, the office of RAWLINSON and HAMILTON, Proctors for Executrix, Fitz-Evan-chambers, 28 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of DANIEL WILLIAM KEANE (commonly known as Daniel Caine), late of Cobar, in the State of New South Wales, Cordial Manufacturer, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to ALICE MARY KEANE, the Widow of the said deceased; and all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned, where all persons having any claims against the above Estate are requested to send in particulars of the said claims. MICHAEL JOSEPH DUFFY, Proctor for Administratrix, Cobar. By his Agents, PERKINS, STEVENSON, and CO., 122 Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of BRIDGET MARKHAM, late of Nelson's Plains, in the State of New South Wales, Widow, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to FRANCIS STANISLAUS MARKHAM, the Executor named in the said Will; and all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned, to whom it is requested notice of all claims will be sent within the said fourteen days. R. W. THOMPSON and SON, Proctors, 293 High-street, West Maitland. By their Agents, WEBSTER and MACLEAN, 7 Moore-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Notice is hereby given, under Section 16 of "The Legal Practitioners Act, 1898," that I, the undersigned, NORMAN LEONARD REX GRIFFIN, now residing at Zeta, Boronia-avenue, Burwood, near Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Law Clerk, intend to apply to the Supreme Court of New South Wales, on the tenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, or so soon thereafter as I may be heard, for a Certificate authorising me to practise as a Conveyancer in this State. Dated this seventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen. N. L. R. GRIFFIN.

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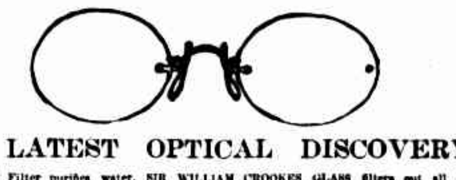
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ADJOURNED Annual and Monthly Meetings of Metropolitan branch of the Farmers and Settlers' Association TO-DAY, 2.30 p.m., 7 O'Connell-st; also Discussion on WHEAT POOL. C. S. ALLEN, Br. Sec.

MRS. HELEN BARTON, of Glasgow, will speak in the Waverley Methodist School-hall, Bondi Junction, THIS AFTERNOON, 3 p.m. Subject: Patriotism of Women. All Women cordially invited.

LAW REPORT.

SUPREME COURT.

IN BANCO.

(Before Mr. Justice Pring, Mr. Justice Ferguson, and Mr. Justice Harvey.)

RESIDENCE BY MORTGAGEE.

Minister for Lands v William Jeremias.

Mr. Knox, K.C., and Mr. Hanbury Davies, instructed by the Crown Solicitor (Mr. J. V. Tillett), appeared for the Minister for Lands; and Mr. L. S. Abrahams, instructed by Mr. W. E. Hawkins (agent for Mr. E. E. Weekes, of Gundagai), for respondent. The nature of the case has already been stated. The question was whether a mortgagee, who entered into possession of a conditional purchase under section 272 (3) of the Crown Lands Consolidation Act of 1913 was liable to the condition of residence attaching to the original conditional purchase. The Land Appeal Court had decided that the condition was not suspended, but waived, and that the original term of residence was not extended.

Mr. Justice Pring said the question before the Court was whether the mortgagee of a conditional purchase, who entered into possession of the land under his mortgage, was bound to reside there. The Act contained no provision to that effect. On the best consideration he had been able to give the matter he was of opinion that the Legislature never intended to bring about such a state of things as would tend to restrict a conditional purchaser who desired to obtain money on mortgage, with the result that he might be practically ruined. That being so, and as he thought the Land Appeal Court had no right to use the word "waiver," as there was nothing in the Act with regard to it, the first question should be answered in this way: "That a mortgagee was not required to reside upon the land by reason of entering into possession."

Mr. Justice Ferguson and Mr. Justice Harvey concurred.

Appeal dismissed.

IN EQUITY.

(Before the Chief Judge, Mr. Justice Simpson.)

TESTATOR'S FAMILY MAINTENANCE.

M. H. Horwitz's Estate.

In connection with the will of the late Michael Henry Horwitz, who had left his widow, Flora Horwitz, and some of his children without adequate maintenance, his Honor recently ordered £6 a week to be paid out of the estate to the widow; £2 a week to Mrs. Bertha Burr (a daughter), and a lump sum of £150 to Rudolf Horwitz (a son). His Honor reserved judgment as to which portions of the testator's estate should bear the burden of these payments. Yesterday, his Honor directed that Claude Horwitz's portion of the estate should bear seven-eighths, and Rudolf Horwitz's portion one-seventh of the provision he had allotted to the widow and children as above specified. The net income of the estate is about £820.

Mr. Leverrier, K.C., and Mr. J. A. Browne, instructed by Messrs. W. A. Windeyer and Williams, appeared for the applicants; Mr. R. K. Manning, instructed by Messrs. C. T. Poole and Son, for Claude Horwitz; and Mr. Lingen, instructed by Messrs. C. T. Poole and Son, for the executors of the estate, the Perpetual Trustee Company, Ltd., who appeared to submit to the Court's order.

(Before Mr. Justice Harvey.)

ST. HELIER'S ESTATE.

Campbell v Campbell.

Mr. Adrian Knox, K.C., and Mr. R. K. Manning, instructed by Mr. R. G. D. Fitzgerald, of Muswellbrook (Sydney agents, Messrs. Pigott and Stinson), appeared for the plaintiffs, I. S. Campbell, Walter Lister Campbell, John Watts Humphries, and Robert George Dundas Fitzgerald, trustees of the will of the late Malcolm Campbell, deceased. Mr. D. Maughan and Mr. Lloyd, instructed by the same solicitors, appeared for the defendant, Mrs. Isabella Strachan Campbell, widow of the testator, and the life tenant in possession of the latter's real estate at St. Helier's, Muswellbrook; Mr. J. A. Ferguson, instructed by Messrs. Emanuel and Emanuel, of Tumut (by their Sydney agents, Messrs. Boyce and Magney), appeared for the defendants, Elizabeth Marsh, and Isabella Edith Manning; Mr. Bonney and Mr. Murray Prior, instructed by the last-named solicitors, for the infant defendants, Marsh and Manning; Mr. Wickham, instructed by Messrs. A. J. Taylor and Greewell, for Mrs. Portus and the Portus infant; and Mr. J. H. Hammond, instructed by Messrs. Bowman and Mackenzie, for the Temperance and General Insurance Company.

The plaintiff trustees asked for the confirmation of the Court of the trustees' expenditure of money in eradicating and destroying prickly pear, or wire-netting, and in clearing land for cultivation, etc. An alternative request was that the said expenditure might be sanctioned to the extent of which the capital value of the land had been increased by such expenditure. It was stated in court that the property in question, which consists of farms and river flats, is of the value of £100,000. In conformity with the provisions of the will, the trustees had expended money (between £9000 and £10,000) in carrying on, and in improving the estate. The Court was asked to affirm that the money had been beneficially expended.

The case stands part heard.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

(Before the Registrar.)

MOTIONS FOR RELEASE.

Re Martin Isaacsohn. Messrs. H. T. Morgan and Morgan appeared for the applicant. An order of release was granted.

Re Robert Allison Phillips (in insolvency). Messrs. Sly and Russell appeared for the applicant. Adjourned to the 21st inst.

CERTIFICATE APPLICATIONS.

Re Walter Jeremiah Thorncraft. There being no appearance of the applicant, the matter was struck out.

Re Charles Joseph Symington. Messrs. Mackenzie and Mackenzie appeared for the applicant. Adjourned to the 14th inst.

Re Robert Allison Phillips. Mr. H. C. Moses, of Messrs. Sly and Russell, appeared for the applicant. Adjourned to the 21st inst.

Re Linus Bungate (in insolvency). Mr. H. S. Bland, of Messrs. E. Pritchard, Bassett, and Co. Adjourned to the 14th inst.

Re Edith Hannah Mary Kennedy. Messrs. H. T. Morgan and Morgan appeared for the applicant, to whom an order of discharge was granted.

Re Arthur George Sanders. Mr. H. E. Manning appeared for the applicant. Adjourned to the 14th inst.

Re Michael Dunleavy. Messrs. Mackenzie and Mackenzie (agents for V. S. Morgal, of Albury, appeared for the applicant. Adjourned to the 21st inst.

MOTION TO RESCIND ORDER.

Re Alexander William Bell. The applicant appeared in person. Adjourned to the 14th inst.

SINGLE MEETINGS.

Re Leslie David M'Kew. There was no appearance for the bankrupt. Adjourned to the 21st inst.

Re David Waddell. Adjourned to the 14th inst.

EXAMINATION, SECTION 30.

Re David Waddell. Mr. R. K. Manning, instructed by Messrs. Norton, Smith, and Co., appeared for the official assignee, and Messrs. Mark Mitchell and Forsyth for a witness. Adjourned till this afternoon.

In the certificate application of Low Chan and others (trading as C. Choy and Co.), and in the separate estate of Rose Choy York, Mr. C. L. Doherty appeared for the applicant, whose certificate was suspended for one day.

VOLUNTARY SEQUESTRATION.

Thomas Gordon, of Tocumwal, labourer. Mr. W. H. Palmer, official assignee.

INDUSTRIAL COURT.

(Before Mr. Justice Edmunds.)

BUTCHERS AND SLAUGHTERMEN'S CASES.

Mr. Bavin, instructed by Messrs. Salwey and Primrose, appeared for the complainants; and Mr. Cantor (Messrs. Cecil Coghlan and Co.) for the majority of the defendants. In this matter about 30 members of the Australian Meat Industry Employees' Union appeared to show cause why they should not be penalised for taking part in a strike, the complainants being Jas. Elliott and Co., Ltd., J. B. and W. Rogers, T. Stone, Oldham and Wheeler, and several other carcase butchers and retail butchers.

Mr. Cantor applied for an adjournment for a week. The men, he said, had returned to work that morning, and certain negotiations were pending.

Mr. Bavin said a conference was to be held that afternoon, and there was a prospect of a settlement of the trouble. In the circumstances he would not oppose an adjournment.

Adjourned till Friday week.

DISTRICT COURT.

(Before Judge Scholes.)

CLAIM FOR COMMISSION.

Vaughan v Forster.

This was a case in which George Atherdon Vaughan (trading as H. E. Vaughan and Son), of 142 King-street, Sydney, estate agent, sued S. Forster and Sons, Ltd., of Mary Ann-street, Ultimo, bedding and wire mattress manufacturers. The claim was for £137 10s, being commission at the rate of 2½ per cent. on a sale by plaintiff for defendants of leasehold property at Ultimo to James Stedman, Ltd. The defence was never indebted, as the plaintiff did not obtain the purchaser of the property. Mr. Mocatta, instructed by Mr. W. U. Smyth-King, appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Clive Teece, instructed by Messrs. Macnamara and Smith, for the defendants. His Honor found a verdict for the plaintiff for the amount claimed.

ALLEGED INFRINGEMENT OF DESIGN.

Crawford v Levenson.

Mary Elizabeth Crawford, wife of Charles Alexander Crawford, of Crown-street, Sydney, labourer, proceeded against Joseph Levenson, of Devon, Allison-road, Randwick, showman, for infringement of a design. The plaintiff's case was that she is the registered owner of a design of target game for five years from November 20, 1914. She alleged that the defendant without the plaintiff's authority infringed the said design at certain carnivals held in Sydney and suburbs. The plaintiff claimed £50 damages. The defendant denied the claim. Mr. D. S. Edwards, instructed by Mr. A. G. Young, appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Leslie Gannon for the defendant. A verdict for the plaintiff of £2 was returned.

A BUTCHER'S BILL.

Mullet v Seaton.

Charles Mullet, of Bridge-street, Sydney, sued Francis Seaton, jun., of New Canterbury-road, Hurlstone Park, for meat supplied to the amount of £168 2s 1d, and £17 8s 8d for moneys paid by the plaintiff for the defendant on account of electric light, rent, telephone, etc. The total claim was for £185 0s 9d. The defendant paid £6 5s into court in connection with the claim for rent, and denied liability as to the balance. Mr. Maxwell, instructed by Messrs. Salwey and Primrose, appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. J. B. Frawley for the defendant. The suit is part heard.

QUARTER SESSIONS.

(Before Judge Backhouse and Juries.)

Mr. Herbert Harris, Crown Prosecutor.

LODGE SECRETARY CHARGED.

Robert Joseph Mangan, who was defended by Mr. J. W. Abigail, pleaded not guilty to a charge of having, at Newtown, on September 14 last year, mutilated certain books of account, the property of Court Newtown Unity, No. 7614, of the Sydney district Ancient Order of Foresters, with intent to defraud. Accused, it appeared, was secretary of the lodge in question, and the Crown case was that he had mutilated its account books. The defence was that accused was not a skilled bookkeeper, and that his books were muddled because of his want of skill; also that he was not in possession of all his faculties.

The jury found the accused guilty on the ground of the unsound mind of the accused, and his Honor ordered him to be held in custody during the Governor's pleasure.

BOUND OVER.

Winifred Bertha Gray, who had pleaded guilty on a previous day to making a false statement on oath to a clergyman appointed under the provisions of the Marriage Act, was bound over in £40 to appear for sentence when called on.

LAW NOTICES.

THURSDAY, MARCH 8.

SUPREME COURT.

Term List.—In Banco Court, St. James's-road.—At 10 a.m.—Motions generally. Criminal appeals: Rex v Roy Shortus; Rex v Planton Pierce, Rex v May Pierce.

In Chambers.—Before the Prothonotary, in Prothonotary's Public Chambers.—At 11 a.m.—Ball and Welch Pty., Ltd., v Jones, for examination. At 12 noon: M'Dowell and Hughes, Ltd., v Beard, for examination.

Prothonotary's Office.—Before the Deputy Prothonotary.—Re Gent one, ex parte Rawlinson, 11 a.m. Before the Chief Clerk: Fitzgerald v Fitzgerald; Ducker v Ducker, 10 a.m.; Baker v Baker; Schaaf v Schaaf, 10.15 a.m.

In Equity.—Before his Honor Mr. Justice Street, No. 1 Jury Court.—At 10 a.m.—Australian Picture Palace, Ltd., and Company's Act, petition to alter memo. of association. 10.30 a.m.: Re W. Hosken Longsdorf, Ltd., and Company's Act, summons for examination of witnesses. Before his Honor Mr. Justice Harvey, Equity Court No. 2, Elizabeth-street.—At 10 a.m.—Campbell v Campbell, part heard.

Before the Master in Equity.—At 11 a.m.—Collins and Co., Ltd., and Company's Act, to settle list of contributories. Before the Deputy Registrar in Equity.—At 11 a.m.—Ritchie v Carpenter, to tax three bills of costs.

Probate Jurisdiction.—Before the First Clerk.—The following Accounts will be taken: At 10.30, Ann Bruce; 10.45, S. T. H. Ackland; 11, C. M. Stevenson; 11.30, B. S. Shields; 11.45, S. J. Macansh; 12.30, J. Rutledge.

In Bankruptcy.—Before the Registrar, Supreme Court-buildings, Elizabeth-street.—At 10 a.m.—Motion to discharge sequestration order: Sydney Charles Tunks. Applications for certificate: Fergus Caldwell, John Urton Royce Beard, George Frederick Vincent. Single Meetings: James Branch, A. Coates, Archibald McMillan and William Thomas Joseph Finneran, John William Lavender. Examination, Section 30: At 2.15 p.m., David Waddell.

DISTRICT COURT.

Before his Honor Judge Scholes.—In No. 1 Court.—At 10 a.m.—Mullett v Seaton (part heard); Goldstein v Goldstein; Brown and Finney, Ltd., v Askew and another, Lane v Hermenns; Fischer v Holmes. Note: The list will be called over punctually at 10 a.m.

Before the Registrar.—At 10.30 a.m.—Warner ats Quirks Lighting and Engineering, Limited. At 10.30 a.m.: Gillies v Rubie.

INDUSTRIAL ARBITRATION COURT.

No. 1 Industrial Courthouse, Queen's-square.—Before Mr. Justice Heydon.—At 10 a.m.—For hearing: Re Building Trades Group, No. 1 (Carpenters, etc., State) Board, for nomination of employers' representative; re Building Trades Group, No. 10 Board (Sawmillers, etc., Metropolitan and Newcastle) Board, for nomination of employers' representative; re Transport Group, No. 22 (Coal Lumpers, Sydney) Board, appeal by Minister for Labour and Industry.

QUARTER SESSIONS.

Frank Colligney de Lisle, larceny; Susan Stannard, inflicting grievous bodily harm; John Quinn, embezzlement; John Martin Rennell, embezzlement.

CUSTOMS INQUIRIES.

Before the Collector of Customs (Mr. W. H. Barkley).—At 10 a.m.—Contravention Section 234 (d) Customs Act, 1901-16: A. Parker, McCrea and Hill, W. and A. McArthur, Ltd., J. F. Walker, A. C. Baxter and Chatfield, Nock and Kirby, Ltd., Gibson, Battle and Co., Ltd., The Castlemaine Brewery and Wood Bros., and Co. Contravention Section 234 (e) Customs Act, 1901-16: Lismore Co-operative Dairy Co., Ltd., Comboyne Co-op. Dairy and Produce Co., Ltd., Maclean Co-op. Dairy Co., Ltd., Manning River Co-op. Dairy Co., Ltd. Contravention Section 37 Beer Excise Act, 1901-12: G. E. Hudson, Narrandera; M. Shanahan, Narrandera; A. Juppenlatz, Wagga; F. Crawford, Hay; T. Honeyman, Hay.

POLICE RAID.

ALLEGED STOLEN JEWELLERY.

A police raid was carried out by Detectives Pattinson, Barclay, Rankin, Robinson, Wilson, and Mair on three houses situated in Stanley-lane, Judge-place, and Yurong-street, Woolloomooloo, shortly after 2 o'clock yesterday morning, when jewellery and other articles, valued at about £200, were seized.

At the Central Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Burton Smith, Arthur Lewis, 26, John Wilson, 38, and William Mazzie, 38, were charged with having goods in their possession, reasonably suspected of being stolen.

Sergeant Mitchel said that the prosecution alleged that the jewellery found in the accused's possession was connected with robberies which had been committed during the last few weeks.

The accused were remanded till March 15, bail being allowed in £60, or two in £30 in each case.

HURSTVILLE TRAGEDY.

HUSBAND CHARGED WITH MURDER.

Frederick Sivell, 38, appeared before Mr. King, S.M., at the Central Police Court yesterday, and was charged with the murder of his wife, Mary Eleanor Sivell, on Tuesday, at their home, at Connell's Point.

Sergeant Spyer, in asking for a remand till March 15, said that the Coroner's inquest had been fixed for that date.

The remand was granted; the accused did not apply for bail.

LATE MR. MATTHEW SMITH.

In the intestate estate of the late Mr. Matthew Smith, of Baulkham Hills, near Parramatta, orchardist, who died on December 21 last, letters of administration have been granted to his two sons, Frank Matthew Smith and George Sydney Smith. The net value of the estate is £21,280, of which £14,971 consists of money in banks, and £3665 realty.

POLICE COURTS.

ALLEGED FALSE STATEMENT.

At the Central Summons Court yesterday, before Mr. Macfarlane, S.M., John Joseph Gately, storekeeper, of Murwillumbah, was charged with being, on May 13, 1916, or thereabouts, a bankrupt within the meaning of the Bankruptcy Act, before sequestration, and that he did falsify a balance-sheet relating to his affairs with intent to conceal a true state of affairs.

Mr. Nicholls, of Messrs. Waldron, Dawson and Glover, appeared for the prosecution, and Mr. Maddocks Cohen represented defendant.

Defendant was committed for trial, bail being allowed.

PORTERS AT RAILWAY STATIONS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—When the Bowral train arrived yesterday at 6.30 p.m. there was for some time a complete absence of porters on the platform, and several ladies with luggage and parcels were in consequence considerably inconvenienced. It struck others as well as myself that the time had surely come to suggest that, failing a sufficient supply of men porters, women porters might be employed. Hoping that the convenience of the travelling public may always have proper attention, I send you these few lines. I am, etc.,

EMILY P. WALKER.

Wallarey, March 4.

THE HARLINGHAM CASE.

BY FLORENCE WARDEN.

(ALL RIGHTS RESERVED.)

CHAPTER IV.—Continued.

Miss Hannah uttered an impatient exclamation, and began to insist.

"You have no right to keep him," she said. "He is nothing to you. He is everything to me. If you won't give him up, I shall ask Sir Hugh to make you."

Nettie remained obstinate.

"You can't worry that poor man about a trifle at such a time as this," she said gently. "And even if you did, it would make no difference. I told him myself I should keep the child, and he agreed."

Miss Hannah was staring at her, with a puzzled look.

"What makes you so persistent?" she demanded.

"I am afraid," replied Nettie in a whisper, "that you would both worry the poor little fellow with questions. I don't see how you could help it. And I'm sure it would not be right."

"You think we should do anything which was not right?" demanded Miss Hannah, blazing out into a fierceness which rather frightened Nettie.

The child in her arms moaned, and she fastened her arms more firmly round him.

"I am sure you would not mean to do what wasn't right," she answered gently. "But I am sure, too, that you would both be carried away by your excitement, and I don't mean to let anybody ask him questions till the doctor has given permission.

Then Miss Hannah stared into the girl's eyes with an intensity which alarmed her.

"What are you looking at me like that for?" Nettie asked quickly.

The elder lady drew back, and burst into tears.

"I don't know, I don't know," she moaned. "It is all too horrible."

A strange idea was making itself manifest amidst the confusion of Nettie's thoughts. Miss Hannah looked at her again, but furtively, and asked abruptly in the midst of her tears—

"What are you thinking?"

"I was wondering," answered Nettie frankly, "whether you have any suspicion about this awful thing. Do you know who did it, Miss Hannah?"

"No," said Miss Hannah shortly. "Do you?"

Nettie did not answer.

"Do you?" repeated Miss Hannah sharply.

"I think it will be found out," Nettie said evasively. "For I am sure that more than one person has some suspicion—or some knowledge."

Miss Hannah threw herself on her knees beside the girl, and looked keenly into her face.

"You can trust me," she said. "Tell me just what you know."

Nettie returned her gaze firmly.

"I don't really know anything at all," she answered. "But I am quite certain that there are people who do know something. I found Perrier huddled up on the mat outside the door of poor Rhoda's study."

"Perrier!" cried Miss Hannah. "Oh, no! Surely you couldn't suspect her! She was devoted to Rhoda."

"I don't say she had anything to do with it," said Nettie. "But she was certainly in the corridor when I came up to call Rhoda. And when I came out again she was gone. And Sir Hugh, who followed me upstairs, as you know, in a few minutes, does not appear to have seen her either."

Miss Hannah looked nervous and worried just as she was wont to look when even the veriest trifles went wrong.

"Didn't you ask her what she was doing there?"

"I couldn't ask her anything. She had fainted. And when I had looked inside the door you can guess whether I had any thought of Perrier or anyone else."

"It's very mysterious," said Miss Hannah.

"Of course she may be able to tell us something," said Nettie.

Miss Hannah sighed and stood up.

"This will kill Hugh," she said with decision. "His heart is weak, and we have always been warned that any sudden shock might be fatal."

Nettie sighed.

"Poor, dear Sir Hugh!" she said. "It was horrible to see him in the first moments. He was made, quite mad. He accused me," she added in a whisper.

Miss Hannah glared at her with sudden malignity.

"You!" she exclaimed. "You!"

Nettie shivered.

"Don't look at me like that, Miss Hannah," she cried indignantly. "As if you thought I had had anything to do with it!"

But still the little dry-faced spinster stared at the girl, and openly turned over in her mind the ideas suggested by her words.

"So he accused you?" she said again.

Nettie flamed up into anger.

"And he might just as well," she retorted, "have accused you, Miss Hannah. I loved poor Rhoda very dearly; you didn't."

Instead of protesting, Miss Hannah collapsed again. Shrinking into the chair which she had occupied a few moments before, she said, in a hurried whisper—

"You know that's not true. You know it couldn't be true. They say the poor thing was strangled! How could I have had the strength to do it? She was taller than I, ever so much taller."

Nettie had only thrown out her own suggestion as an indignant retort, and not with any idea that her words would be taken seriously. Seeing the effect they had had, she shuddered and was silent.

There was a long pause, and then they heard the garden gate open and shut, and the electric bell ringing. There followed a slight commotion, the opening and shutting of more than one door, and the sounds of voices and footsteps on the stairs.

"It's the doctor," said Miss Hannah in a whisper.

Some one came out of the room opposite, and Dr. Ridding in the corridor. It was Major Somers. The two ladies could hear him explaining.

"Which way?" asked the doctor, cutting him short impatiently.

Through the open door of the day nursery, where they were sitting, the two ladies saw the doctor and the Major go into the room opposite, and then for a long time they heard very little more. Just an occasional sound of raised voices, or of the moving of some piece of furniture in the disordered room, the opening and shutting of a window. Nettie was surprised that Miss Hannah did not join the group with the doctor. Presently she made the suggestion.

"Don't you want to hear what he has to say?" she asked.

But Miss Hannah shook her head.

"I'll meet him presently," she said. "Hugh himself. I shall have to ask his advice."

"So shall I," said Nettie quietly.

Miss Hannah threw at her a stealthily inquiring glance, but she asked no question. In silence they waited until the door opened and Dr. Ridding came out, looking very grave.

Nettie at once called to him shrilly from where she sat, holding the boy in her arms.

"Dr. Ridding! Can I speak to you?"

The doctor pushed open the door of the day nursery, and came in. He was a slender, dark-eyed man, with black hair and beard, and he wore gold spectacles, which gave him a strictly professional look. He was a strange compound of ability and vanity, high-spirited and even daring withal.

He bowed to the ladies, looking very grave. Miss Hannah was standing near Nettie, her lips tightly compressed, the gleam of a strong determination in her grey eyes.

Nettie uttered an exclamation, and craned her neck to look out through the still open door.

"Sir Hugh wants you, I think, Aunt Hannah," she said.

Miss Hannah was on the alert at once, and ran out into the corridor, where the door of poor Rhoda's study was still ajar.

At once Nettie sprang up, closed the door of the day nursery, turned the key, and, still carrying the boy, ran into the night nursery and locked the outer door of that room also. Then she put the child in his cot, and hurried to the door between the rooms, and beckoned to the doctor. He came up to her at once, and she whispered eagerly—

"Dr. Ridding, this poor child has seen something horrible happen, and I want you to take him away with you, for I know he's going to be ill. Sir Hugh and Miss Hannah want to question him, and make him say what he has seen. It is natural enough, but I feel that it would kill the boy, or drive him out of his mind. Take him with you; get a nurse for him, and try to make him think it was a dream that he had. Don't let them persuade you to leave him here. They'll try, I'm sure they will try. It's only the natural thing that they should."

"Good heavens! Do you know what you are asking of me?"

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(To be continued.)

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McFARLANE.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McFARLANE are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved SON, Norman Clarence; to leave Royal Alexandra Hospital, Camperdown, THIS THURSDAY, at 1 p.m., for Woronora Cemetery. Train leaving Sydney 5 past 2.
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PARTON.—The Friends of the late EDWARD WILLIAM PARTON are kindly invited to attend his Funeral; to leave his late residence, Carthona, Belgrave-street, Waverley, THIS MORNING, at 10 o'clock, for C. of E. Cemetery, Waverley.
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Dated this sixth day of March, 1917.
SELINA J. CARTER.
Witness: W. U. SMYTH KING, Solicitor, Sydney.

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ELECTION NOTICES.

THE NATIONAL CAMPAIGN.
TO-NIGHT'S MEETINGS.

ST. GEORGE: Bexley Parish Hall, 8 o'clock, W. R. Bagnall, M.L.A., Selected National Candidate; Owen Gilbert, ex-M.L.A.
BALMAIN: Dr Stopford, Selected National Candidate. Committee Meeting, 8 o'clock. Full attendance requested.
GLEBE: Mitchell and Westmoreland streets, 8.30, W. H. Clutton, Selected National Candidate; R. Sleath, Frank Farnell, ex-M.L.A.
KING: Liverpool and Yurong streets, 8 o'clock, J. J. Morrish, M.L.A., Selected National Candidate; W. Hilliard, J. J. L. M'Eachern.
DULWICH HILL: Woodlands-street, 8 o'clock, T. Hoskins, M.L.A., Selected National Candidate.
PETERSHAM: Taverner's Hill, corner Railway-street and Parramatta-road, 8 o'clock, J. J. Cohen, M.L.A., Selected National Candidate.
DARLINGHURST: Surrey-street, 8 o'clock, D. Levy, M.L.A., Selected National Candidate; W. J. Ferguson, ex-M.L.A.; Ald. Lionel Courtney.
BURWOOD: Burwood School of Arts, 8 o'clock, Hon. John Garland, M.L.C., Solicitor-General, on behalf of T. Henley, M.L.A.
NEWTOWN: Harold and Garvie streets, R. Hollis, M.L.A., Selected National Candidate; Sgt. Kay, Mr. G. Overhill.
WAVERLEY: Murray-street and Belgrave-street, 8 o'clock; Bronte, 8.15, Hon. C. W. Oakes, Selected National Candidate; R. Sleath, ex-M.L.A.
MARRICKVILLE: Clack-street and Victoria-road, 8 o'clock, T. S. Crawford, M.L.A., Selected National Candidate; J. A. Daniels, J. Maguire.
PARRAMATTA: Kellyville Hall and Local Store, Rouse Hill, 8 o'clock, Albert Bruntnell, M.L.A., Selected National Candidate; A. K. Thompson.
ASHFIELD: Town Hall, Ashfield, 8 o'clock, opening of campaign, W. F. V. Robson, M.L.A., Selected National Candidate; Mayor of Ashfield will preside.
HURSTVILLE: Hurstville Grove, 8 o'clock, T. J. Ley, Selected National Candidate; and others.
RYDE: Eastwood School of Arts, 8 o'clock, Wm. Thompson, M.L.A., Selected National Candidate.
ROZELLE: Stirland's Hall, Committee Meeting, 8 o'clock. A. Reed, Selected National Candidate. A full attendance requested.
CAMPERDOWN: University-street, Kingston, 8 o'clock, W. E. J. Weller, Selected National Candidate; S. Toose, S. Piper.
GRANVILLE: Guildford, Elite Hall, 8 o'clock, W. L. Duncan, Selected National Candidate; P. B. Colquhoun, M.L.A.
WILLOUGHBY: Amhurst and Miller streets, 8 o'clock, R. W. D. Weaver, Selected National Candidate; R. C. Walmsley.
DARLING HARBOUR: Princes and Clarence streets, 7.30; Erskine-street, 8.30, W. Phillips, Selected National Candidate; W. J. Ferguson, ex-M.L.A.; J. G. Wilkinson.
CAMDEN: Minto, 7.30; Ingleburn, 8.30, J. C. Hunt, M.L.A., Selected National Candidate.
RANDWICK: Town Hall, Randwick, 8 o'clock, Women's Meeting; Percival Picture Theatre, Dudley's Corner, Maroubra, 8 o'clock, Hon. David Storey, M.L.A., Selected National Candidate.
WOLLONGONG: Clifton (Hall), 8 o'clock, J. B. Nicholson, M.L.A.; Hon. James Wilson, M.L.C.; Mr. Hugh Connell.
PADDINGTON: General Committee Meeting, 8 o'clock. A full attendance requested.
GORDON: Chatswood Town Hall, at 8 o'clock, T. R. Bavin, Selected National Candidate; H. Y. Braddon, William Brooks.
ARCHDALE PARKHILL, General Secretary.
St. 39 Hunter-street.

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NO-CONSCRIPTION.
We are in danger of Conscription as long as a Conscriptionist Government remains in power. Mr. Holman's word is valueless. He has broken his written pledges.
VOTE FOR LABOUR AND NO-CONSCRIPTION.
We have copy of an appeal issued on behalf of the Holman Coalition to vested interests, to subscribe money to smash the Labour Movement. Large sums are being expended against us.
WILL THE FRIENDS OF LABOUR AND NO-CONSCRIPTION HELP US?
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INDUSTRIAL MEETINGS: G. WAITE.
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DOMAIN DEMONSTRATION.
SUNDAY NEXT, TEN PLATFORMS.
SPEAKERS: FEDERAL AND STATE MEMBERS FROM ALL STATES. SEE ADVERTISEMENT SATURDAY'S MORNING PAPERS.
METROPOLITAN MEETINGS TO-NIGHT.
BOTANY.—Mascot Town Hall, T. D. Mutch (Candidate), J. H. Catts, M.H.R., Mrs. K. Dwyer.
CANTERBURY.—Opening of Campaign in support of G. Cann, M.L.A., J. H. Catts, M.H.R.; J. Doyle (President P.L.L.).
RANDWICK.—St. Paul's-street and Perouse-road, Ald. W. P. Fitzgerald, Robt. E. O'Halloran (Candidate), A. Rutherford.
DRUMMOYNE.—Woolwich, Patience Hotel, Woolwich-road, R. W. Sheiles (Candidate).
ST. GEORGE.—Brighton-le-Sands.
1. A. E. Dengate (Candidate), A. C. Willis, G. Boyd, W. Large.
2. Banksia Railway Station, W. Large, H. Setright, A. Dengate (Candidate).
HURSTVILLE.—Cronulla, Capt. S. Toombs, M.L.A.; and other prominent speakers.
PARRAMATTA.—Pennant Hills West, Thompson's Corner, J. S. Garden (Candidate), Mr. Simmonds.
RYDE.—Gladesville, W. Hutchinson (Candidate), L. J. O'Hara.
DULWICH HILL.—Hurlstone Park Railway Station, J. J. Cahill (Candidate), G. Pollock, M.L.A. (Q.).
KING.—Wang's Hotel, Cathedral and Dowling streets, Woolloomooloo, T. J. Smith (Candidate), Ald. J. M. Power, J. Bailey (A.W.U.).
BURWOOD.—Homebush-crescent, Homebush, Ald. A. W. Avery (Candidate), G. J. Sinclair (Sec., Boilermakers), M. F. O'Grady.
SURRY HILLS AND REDFERN JOINT MEETINGS.—Bourke and Cleveland streets, W. J. M'Kell and A. W. Buckley (Candidates), Mrs. Locke Burns.
SURRY HILLS and KING, JOINT MEETING, Oxford and Riley streets, T. J. Smith and A. W. Buckley (Candidates), J. Kearney.
MARRICKVILLE.—1. Corner Cook and Victoria roads, C. C. Lazzarini (Candidate), P. Adler (Sec. Blacksmiths).
2. Chappell and Illawarra roads, C. C. Lazzarini (Candidate), P. Adler (Blacksmiths' Sec.).
DARLINGHURST.—Cathedral and Dowling streets, J. Farrell (Candidate), Ald. W. O'Connor.
REDFERN.—Walker and Cleveland sts., W. J. M'Kell (Candidate), C. Wallace (Seamen's Union), J. O'Reilly, Mrs. K. Dwyer, R. Corcoran.
ENMORE.—Newington-road and Tupper-street, Marrickville, T. Bourke (Candidate), G. Saunders, J. M. O'Donnell, Mrs. Toohey.
ENMORE.—Stanmore-road and Wemyss-st.—T. Bourke (Candidate), J. Hackett, W. R. Callaway, Mrs. Toohey.
BALMAIN.—Riverview Hotel, Birchgrove-road, R. Mahoney, N. Turner.
WAVERLEY.—Charing Cross, J. Fingleton, M.L.A., Senator Gardiner, R. W. Cruickshank.
WOOLLAHRA.—1. Roslyn and Bent streets, W. Hartley, M.L.A. (Q.), C. Davies (Candidate).
2. Elizabeth and Underwood streets, S. Jones, C. Davies (Candidate).
ASHFIELD.—1. Charlotte and Elizabeth sts., G. Boland (Candidate), E. Cohen, J. Cullinane (A.W.U.), J. Cranney, J. Baker.
ALEXANDRIA.—Alexandria Town Hall, S. Hickey, M.L.A., Miss Golding.
WILLOUGHBY.—1. St. Leonards Hotel, J. S. Chambers (Candidate), G. Stanley, P. Coleman.
2. Greenwich Public School, Mr. Joselin, W. Heron, J. S. Chambers (Candidate), F. S. Spillman.
NEWTOWN.—1. Falvey and King sts., F. Bourke (Candidate), R. Roach, E. Givens, M. Henwood.
2. Luthorpe-st., F. Bourke (Candidate), J. F. O'Connor, O. C. Pennington, A. M'Allister, J. Toohey.
PADDINGTON.—Corner Neild-avenue and Lawson-st., J. P. Osborne, M.L.A.; J. F. Birt, and other prominent speakers.
ST. LEONARDS.—1. St. Leonards Hotel, R. G. Edwards (Candidate), P. Coleman.
2. Greenwich Public School, W. Heron, Mr. Joscelin.
ANNANDALE.—1. Reserve and Annandale sts., W. J. O'Brien (Candidate), G. Carter, M.L.A. (Q.).
2. Booth and Young sts., W. J. O'Brien (Candidate), A. Rutherford, and other prominent speakers.
CAMPERDOWN, D. A. O'Sullivan, V. Kavanagh, J. H. Wynn, M. D. Roach.
P. C. EVANS, General Secretary.

RANDWICK ELECTORATE.
The HONORABLE DAVID STOREY will Address the Electors as follows:—
THURSDAY (To-day).—Ladies, TOWN HALL, RANDWICK, 3 p.m.
THURSDAY (To-night).—Monster Meeting at PERCIVAL'S THEATRE, Dudley's Cor., Maroubra, 8 o'cl.
SATURDAY NEXT.—At Steel's Corner, PEROUSE-ROAD and HOWARD-STREET, Randwick, at 8 o'cl.
LADIES SPECIALLY INVITED.
Authorised by Joseph Coulter and Ald. T. R. Gilderthorp, Joint Honorary Secretaries.

ANNANDALE.
Mr. ARTHUR GRIFFITH and Mr. HECTOR LAMOND will speak at cnr. Collins and Young streets, THIS EVENING, at 8 o'clock.
Authorised by ARTHUR GRIFFITH.

WILLOUGHBY ELECTION. JOHN HAYNES, the PEOPLE'S INDEPENDENT DEMOCRATIC CHAMPION. TO-NIGHT, THURSDAY, 8 o'clock, WEST-STREET SECTION; FRIDAY, 9th, Crow's Nest, at 8. Big Demonstration, SATURDAY, 10th, at 8, Bay-road Station. Great Political Speeches, full of revelations.
R. BENNETT, Secretary.

MARRICKVILLE ELECTORATE.—F. J. HODGES, the Independent Liberal Candidate, will deliver his Policy Speech at the Empire Theatre, Marrickville-road, THURSDAY, March 8, at 8.15 p.m. Mr. A. Conroy, ex-M.P., will also speak. Authorised by W. H. Shepherd, Hon. Sec., Queen-street, Ashfield.

WAVERLEY.
CHARLES W. OAKES Speaks TO-NIGHT in support of NATIONAL PARTY, at Corner BELGRAVE and MURRAY STREETS, BRONTE, at 8.15. Roll up and hear the Popular Candidate.
E. J. LEWIS, Hon. Sec., N.C.C.

ELECTORATE of MARRICKVILLE.—TEDBAR BARDEN will Address the Electors as follows:—To-night, at 8: Terry and Henry sts. Friday, at 8 p.m.: Garner's-avenue and Marrickville-rd. Saturday, at 8 p.m.: John and Wells sts., Camdenville. Authorised by W. FORD, 40 Jersey-st., Marrickville.

SURRY HILLS STATE ELECTIONS.
PERCY J. DALY, Selected National Candidate, will Address the Electors at the corner of High Holborn and Lansdowne streets, TO-NIGHT, at 8 o'clock. Prominent speakers. Vote for the man you all know.

THE Friends and Supporters of ALD. M. BURKE, the Selected and Endorsed Labour and No-Conscription Candidate for Belmore, are invited to attend a MEETING at Ald. English's Buildings, George-st., city, at 8 o'clock TO-NIGHT, re Campaign matters. Authorised by F. V. STOKES, Sec., 302 Elizabeth-st.

MR. DANIEL LEVY
WILL SPEAK,
SURREY-STREET, near Hickey's Bakery,
TO-NIGHT, AT 8.
Authorised by Leslie P. Ireslale, 80 Bayswater-road.

ASHFIELD ELECTORATE.—Mr. W. F. V. ROBSON, the National Candidate, will address the Electors Town Hall, Ashfield. To-night, Thurs., at 8 o'cl. His Worship the Mayor will preside. A. R. Lemaire, Hon. S.

SOCIALIST Labour Party.—Candidate for Redfern, H. Ostler, and J. O. Moroney speak To-night, cor. Walker and Redfern streets, 8 o'clock. Authorised by Jas. O. Moroney, 5 Rawson-chambers, Rawson-place.

SURRY HILLS.—T. J. Kohan, J.P., speaks To-night, Ridge and Bourke sts, 8 o'c. H. Dyson, Hon. Sec.

MISCELLANEOUS.

AT I.O.O.F. TEMPLE, opp. Mark Foy's.—Mrs. LOE F. ELMORE, until March 15. Spiritualist.
AT Rawson-chambers, 115 Room.—Spiritual Science. Mrs. Woodleigh-Taylor, Certificated Exponent.
AT Mrs. DUNLOP'S.—Spiritualists' Meetings, Tues., Thur., Sat., 8 p.m. 18 City-rd., opp. Grace Bros.
AT Leigh House, 232 Castlereagh-st.—Mrs. Weeks, Spiritualist.

ON THE LAND.

FARM AND STATION.

RAILWAY RATES.

It is unfortunate that the Railway Commissioners should have felt it necessary so heavily to increase the railway rates on the carriage of artificial manures at the present time. The fact cannot be ignored that, owing to dissatisfaction existing amongst wheat-growers, there is a risk of a decrease in the area put under wheat this season, although national interests call for an effort to grow more wheat than ever. If the State Governments can agree to increasing the amount of the guaranteed price for wheat grown this season, it should improve the outlook considerably, but even then the high prices and greater certainty attached to the live stock industry may tend to restrict the wheat area. At this critical stage growers find the railway rates for fertilisers increased very considerably, and this will not help to improve the situation. Broadly speaking, it may be laid down as a principle that the greater the number of farmers who use fertiliser in sowing their wheat, the greater will be the yield. The heavier the yield the more produce there will be to carry on the railways, and the greater the earnings for the year. While it is essential that the railways should be conducted on business lines, the importance of fertilisers as freight producers must not be overlooked. In carrying fertilisers at a low rate in the past the Commissioners were encouraging wheat-growing, and, therefore, adopting a sound business policy. The principles of commerce legitimately allow for certain business to be conducted at a loss if necessary in order to create other business that will show more than a compensating profit.

From a national standpoint any factor that is likely to reduce the quantity of wheat produced in the country is bad business. It is no exaggeration to say that such will probably be the effect of the increased rates on fertilisers, as at the present time the majority of farmers are not keen on growing wheat, and are not in the position to face increased expenditure to do so. It is quite feasible that the increased rates may be the deciding factor in many cases in the limitation, if not reduction, of the area cultivated. The wheat industry as the largest user of artificial manures naturally demands the most attention, but smaller users, such as orchardists, will be penalised even more heavily, and this will again be likely to decrease production, and consequently railway freights. We can hardly agree with the Railway Commissioners' statement, made a few days ago, that the farmers are under a misapprehension as to the operation of the new rates. It would seem they quite fully realise the difference that it will make to their business, and the executive of the Farmers and Settlers' Association has made out a strong case in reply. The Commissioners' statement is not convincing. It presupposes an organisation amongst farmers that does not exist, and it gives very little time for such organisation to be established. Furthermore, it seems to us that the case of the small user of fertilisers has not been considered.

The Commissioners claim to be anxious to encourage the farming industry, but increased rates on the carriage of fertilisers at the present time are hardly likely to have that effect. If it is impossible to revert to the old rates, the suggestion that there should be a general increase of 10 per cent. would seem preferable to the new discriminating rates.

LOCAL EXPERTS.

The Premier is to be congratulated upon taking steps to protect the interests of locally trained entomologists, in placing their claims for consideration before the Premier of Queensland in connection with the appointment of an entomologist and assistants to take charge of the bureau at Cairns. The result, however, is not satisfactory. The Premier of Queensland, in reply to Mr. Holman, stated he was rescinding the request for assistants, but apparently the chief entomologist is to be imported from abroad. This is the procedure that was objected to in these columns a few weeks ago, and the objections still hold good. It is small consolation to know that if assistants are to be appointed application will be made to the southern universities. The point is that no attempt appears to have been made to ascertain if the chief position could not be filled by an Australian, or, failing that, by a man trained in the British Empire, as we understand it is intended to secure an American as entomologist for Queensland at a handsome salary. The tendency to rush abroad for experts is not encouraging to the development of local scientists. Past experience does not particularly recommend the course adopted by the Queensland Government, and in any case it is better in every way that local men should have first call, and British trained men next.

SCIENTIFIC AGRICULTURE.

GRADUATES HAVE GONE TO THE WAR.

At the opening of the Wyong Show last week it was complained that the scientific work of the Department of Agriculture had not kept pace with the increasing troubles of orchardists and others of late years. Yesterday Mr. Valder, Under-Secretary to the Department, explained the reason why.

"A few years ago," said Mr. Valder, "we recognised that there was an immense amount of work to be done in scientific investigation, for which a special staff would be required, and a staff for this purpose had gradually been built up by the department by training men, first at the experiment farm at Hawkesbury College, and then by sending a few of the best of these to the University to complete their education. It was thought that long before this we would have had quite a strong staff available for carrying out special work of this kind, but unfortunately the war upset our plans. At the present moment nearly all our scientifically and practically trained men are at the front. Of 12 men who passed through the University and came on to our staff some three years ago, 11 are now at the front. On top of this all but one of the staff of young experimentalists who were doing the work of scientific investigation at the experiment farms have enlisted. There were about 15. They all volunteered in a body, and all but one were accepted.

"It has been impossible to replace these men," added Mr. Valder, "as the young men to whom we were looking to take up this work volunteered as soon as they got their diploma at the Hawkesbury College. After the war, however, we hope to see released a large body of young, well-trained officers, quite sufficient to meet all the demands."

STATE JAM FACTORY.

"Orchardist of Fifty Years Standing" writes: This season has been most disastrous to the fruit industry, attributable to many causes, one in particular, the excessive rains, which have brought the fungus known as "Brown Rot." This has worked havoc by the destruction of thousands of cases of fruit. I know it is stated that a system of spraying with a strong solution of lime and sulphur has the desired effect, but this is erroneous. I spray regularly, and very late in the season when the buds have broken, with the fear that the remedy would be more disastrous than the disease. This season has proved that the excessive rain is the true source of the trouble, and spraying will have no effect under such conditions. Another difficulty is the over-prolific crop this season all through the State, without a proper system to cope with it. Hence the result is a wholesale waste, involving a loss to the growers and the State of thousands of pounds. There is no reason why good fruit should be lost. Even that subject to fungus after packing can be saved if promptly dealt with. The Government could institute a State jam and canning factory. There might be an initial loss, but this would soon be regained, and the expense would be a mere bagatelle compared with the heavy losses now incurred by the State through more or less failure. I would suggest a very large jam and canning factory in Sydney, which, while it would help the Cumberland growers, might also accommodate the Leeton surplus. It has, moreover, a very important bearing in connection with the Repatriation Fund and the settlement of returned soldiers, the majority of whom will go on the land with little knowledge and experience of the task before them, and the Government already realises its responsibilities in giving them instruction and assistance probably for some years. But unless this phase of the industry connected with the marketing of the produce is dealt with, even if these settlers acquire the necessary knowledge and experience, their future is fraught with disaster, and the scheme will not succeed. I contend that such a State jam and canning factory is a natural corollary and conclusion of what is so far being done for these men. But surely the growers who have borne the heat and the burden of the day are entitled to share in such consideration.

FARMERS AND SETTLERS.

The annual meeting of the metropolitan branch of the Farmers and Settlers Association of New South Wales was held.

Mr. T. I. Campbell (president) occupied the chair. He said in connection with the expense incurred by farmers in providing new bags for their wheat it was pointed out that at the present price of bags the estimated profit of the wheat delivered at the railway station would be reduced at least 4d per bushel, for which no provision was made by the Government.

Mr. A. K. Trethowan, M.L.C., spoke of the wheat farmers and the wheat pool.

The election of officers resulted in the re-election of Mr. T. I. Campbell as president. Mr. G. G. Gilmore and Mr. H. Carter were elected vice-presidents, Mr. C. B. Allen, secretary, Mr. J. P. Thompson, treasurer. Messrs. E. L. Jones, George Walker, W. Mugridge, V. H. Green, H. Manning, and John O'Shannessy, were elected as the members of a new committee.

STOCK TRAINS.

Mr. F. R. Sparre, Cootamundra, writes:—A few years ago, when complaints were made by stock owners of the unsatisfactory running of stock trains, we were informed that the trouble was mainly owing to single lines and the want of duplication. Now we have the Southern line from Cootamundra duplicated to Flemington, with the exception of one or two small spaces, and the running of the stock trains is ten times worse than under the old system. I left Cootamundra on Tuesday last at 10.30 a.m., and arrived at Flemington about 9.30 a.m. on Wednesday, or, in other words, it took 23 hours to run 248 miles, or a speed of a little over 10½ miles per hour—and this train, as a matter of fact, was slightly ahead of schedule time. We have a fast goods train which leaves Cootamundra at 9.30 p.m., and occasionally takes stock, and this train arrives at Flemington at 12.55 p.m. the next morning, and I may say frequently passes the stock train that has left Cootamundra some 11 hours before. The speed of this train is 16½ miles per hour, and why the regular stock train leaving at 10.30 a.m. cannot run as fast passes my comprehension. The 10.30 a.m. train used to arrive at about 6 a.m., but, as you will note, she becomes slower as we progress.

SHEEP-FLY PEST.

"Goorillie" writes:—If the increase of the blowfly pest is due to poisoning rabbits, it is a very remarkable fact that in a year like the present, in which there has been less poisoning done than in any time during the last 15 years, the fly should be many times worse than has ever been experienced before. Dealers in poisons will agree that they have not sold a fraction of the poisons they used to sell up to three years ago. Last year there was little poisoning done, and this year poisons have practically not been sold up to the present. In Queensland, in districts where there are no rabbits (and consequently no poisoning), and never has been, the fly is as bad, as, or even worse, than, in any other part of the continent. With these definite facts before us we must look for other causes than the poisoning of rabbits. If we were to judge by coincidence, it would seem that where rabbits are poisoned the flies have actually decreased. Experience has shown that the maggot fly is always at its very worst during wet seasons, such as have just lately been experienced, whilst in a time of drought, when rotting carcases of dead stock are lying about, the fly is almost invariably conspicuous by its absence. It would, therefore, appear as if the rank and damp growth of foliage and grasses provides a natural habitat for the fly, and thus facilitates its increase.

HILLSTON DISTRICT.

The Hillston district has again provided an example of what it can do this year, in the growing of wheat. Being 50 or 60 miles from the railway, it speaks well for the enterprise of wheat-growers who will take all the risks of the bad season to obtain a crop in one like the present, which has brought in its train such extraordinary conditions. Although much of the wheat is bleached, there are some good yields, up to seven bags and over. A fine sample of Defiance wheat was brought under the notice of a "Herald" representative recently, by Mr. H. M'Mahon, of Carrathool. When weighed it yielded 64lb to the bushel, but a sample of Federation only went 54lb. While the cost of haulage is almost prohibitive, still, growing wheat apparently brings the farmer in some returns, although the teamsters' charges are £8 for 40 miles for 100 bags. This district still languishes for a railway, the long-expected line from Griffith has received a further check in the present retrenchment policy of the Government, and along its route are thousands of acres of land extensive enough to provide a living area, all of which has been surveyed for subdivision.

TO SHARPEN A LAWN MOWER.

A correspondent—like many others—wanted to know the correct way to sharpen an ordinary lawn mower, and in reply Mr. J. H. Maiden, Government Botanist, says:—"Make a paste of machine oil and fine emery powder, apply this to the blades and reverse the machine. This will keep small machines in good order for years. Where large horse machines are used the cutter blade should be sent to an expert once a year."

BOMBALA SHOW.

BOMBALA.—The fortieth annual show of the Bombala Society opened on Wednesday in perfect weather. On Tuesday heavy rain fell, and put the grounds in good order. The entries were greater than for the past 15 years, and the quality of the exhibits was excellent in nearly every section. This is in the main due to the splendid season which the Monaro has experienced. The horses, sheep, cattle, poultry, cereals, and the vegetable exhibits are a splendid advertisement of what Bombala and district can produce in a good season. The collection of farm produce exhibits by Mr. Charles Pierce, of High Plain, attracted much attention. The exhibitors are Bibbenluke Estate, Messrs. William and John Garnock, Mr. Robert Stevenson, Mr. Jas. Chirnside, Gunningrah Station, and Aston Station. The exhibit, which was grown on one of the Maharatta blocks, comprises two hundred varieties, and among them are flour, wheatmeal, ham, oatmeal, fish and game, honey, furs, wattle bark, neatsfoot oil, candles, soap, beeswax—in short, the exhibit illustrating what a farm so worked can produce. In the horse section the principal exhibitors were Messrs. Little, Taylor, Stevenson, Chirnside, Arthur, Irwin Bros., Andrew Stewart, Bibbenluke Estate, Ken. M'Cole, Gunningrah Station, Sautelle, Badgery, Elton, Lowe; in cattle, Messrs. Phippard Bros., E. Joseph, Bibbenluke Estate, Cambalong Station, Kuringai Estate, Smith, Bukalong, Kylestun Estate, Aston Station, Irwin Bros., Gunningrah Station; in sheep, Messrs. Curtis, Little, Sauteile, Walcott, Bibbenluke Estate, Burnima Estate, Gunningrah, Kuringai Estate, Smith, Bukalong, Kylestun Estate, A. Stewart, C. Pierce, John Conben; in dairy produce, Messrs. Holtzhauser, Sautelle, F. Nicholson, Conben, Warburton, G. Garnock, Mrs. Pierce, Wilson, Mrs. Sage, and Mrs. Watson; and in cereals, Messrs. Trevanion, Cotterill, Summerill, Arthur, Aston Station, W. Belleiter, Pierce, Bibbenluke Estate, Kinber.

DISTRICT ITEMS.

BYRON BAY.—Mr. Dudgeon, of Bangalow, a dairy farmer, has imported 40 head of high-class South Coast dairy cattle, including three bulls. The cattle are valued at £1000.

A HUN MUG.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—This Hun was a sizeable fellow and a good hand at the brush when he landed 20 years ago. Being a sensible chap he joined the Painters' Union and married an Australian lass. All was up to the mark. He was square with his mates, looked after his wife and kids, and had a bit in the Savings Bank when the Kaiser played up. The union then looked sideways at Schultz, and it was up to them to defend Australia, so they turned him out. He hustled round and got a job, but wherever he went the union told the boss that he must fire Schultz or he would be on the black list. Now he has been ten weeks without earning a penny, his clothes hang on him, don't fit, his face shows his troubles. It may be right to dig a bayonet into a Hun when he has a bayonet too, but it is not true sport to make him kill himself from his downheartedness, or die of empty "innards" when he can't get a show; when he has no wish only to get a crust for himself and his kids and live friendly-like all round. To save myself from the black list I borrow a name. I am, etc.,

SAM TURNBULL.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

GOVERNMENT MONEY.

A number of the shire councils have this year increased the rate to 2d. This is the limit that the law allows. This position is forced upon them by an award which largely increases their expenses, and by the reduction in Government assistance. Councillor Broadbent, of Severn Shire, in recommending a rate of 2d, pointed out that the grant for main roads had been cut down by half, and, he thought that the endowment would be reduced as well. Inverell Municipal Council got £240 for main roads this year as against £450 last year. Dissatisfaction was anticipated by a departmental statement that it was no use for the council to apply for an increase. A great many shire presidents and engineers have visited Sydney during the past few months, endeavouring to obtain more generous treatment, but it would seem that there is really no more money available for distribution. That there should be this begging shows a false system of local government.

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REJECTED OVER SIXPENCE.

The system that allows a nomination paper to be rejected over sixpence is one that needs altering. At the recent shire elections Mr. Tink was nominated as a candidate for C Riding of the Timbrebongie Shire Council. It appears that, in paying his rates, Mr. Tink omitted to add the necessary sixpence exchange to his cheque. Under the Local Government Act a candidate must not owe any money to the council on the seventh clear day before nomination day. Under this clause the Returning Officer must reject the nomination of a debtor, whether he owes 6d or £6. In the new bill the amount is increased to 5s. Of course a careful candidate is supposed to make inquiries as to his position over a week before he hands in his nomination. But a law which is framed on the theory that candidates are ideal persons, knowing everything and looking to small retails, is bound to create trouble. As the new bill is not likely to pass in the next few months those who contemplate being candidates for the municipal elections in June next are advised to take warning by the case above quoted.

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TAKING OVER THE WRECKS.

There have been a number of cases recently where Schools of Arts have got into difficulty, and have asked the council to take control. At Muswellbrook the School of Arts is in debt to the amount of £1800. The committee claims that it has assets worth £4000, and it proposes to hand these (with the debt, of course) to the council. The council would then act as trustees of the institution. The resolution was passed by the committee, but the members called a special meeting, and declined to go on with the proposal, laying the blame for failure upon the committee. This body resigned. Proposals for transfers of this nature have been discussed in Katoomba, North Sydney, Homebush, and Blue Mountains shire. The difficulty is that the local council is only asked to step in when shipwreck is threatened. In such a place as Katoomba, where a School of Arts is essential as an attraction for visitors, there is good reason for the council to take over. But in most other cases, where the public interest is insufficient (together with the help of the billiard tables) to keep the institution alive, it is best to let it die.

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FRUIT TREES ON ROADS.

The Minister for Local Government was unhappy in his choice of suggestions when he recommended councils to grow fruit trees along the public roads. The councils have treated the proposal with much more ridicule than, in fairness, it deserves. It is a little in advance of the times. It will be quite a year or two yet before the small boy or the big boy, his father, can be trusted to walk down an avenue of ripe peaches with his hands in his pockets. As things are, one of the difficulties councils find is to prevent children stoning locusts out of the shade trees. In the meantime, councils wait the Minister's announcement on questions of policy. Does he propose to deal with questions of road improvement? Is the present franchise to be left undisturbed? Is he introducing any measure to reform hospitals? It is upon these points that some positive statement is anxiously desired.

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THE OUTLET TO THE COAST.

One of the road engineering feats of the State was the construction of the road down Macquarie Pass. It gives an important access to the coast from the Southern tablelands. That road supplies an instance of the enormous money waste of the present system of road maintenance. The Wingecarribee Shire has been petitioned by car owners in the district from Nowra to Kiama, asking the council to put in order its part of the Macquarie Pass-road. Complaint is made that the road is very dangerous, and in wet weather is impassable. Here is a road which cost thousands of pounds to construct. As an asset it is worth what it cost. Yet it lies practically useless for the want of a few hundred pounds. The blame is not to be laid upon the council, but upon the system which throws the upkeep of these roads upon local ratepayers. The case is quoted not as being singular, but rather as one of the many that prove the need of a proper system of road management.

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WHAT IS "GARBAGE."

On many occasions councils have had to take legal advice as to what is meant by the term "garbage." Three times the question has been before the law courts. At Dubbo it was decided that house refuse in liquid form was garbage. In another case it was decided that to be "refuse" for the garbage tin it was necessary that the matter should be offensive and unwholesome, and that tins and bottles did not come within the term. At Junee recently a publican was prosecuted for not providing enough receptacles for the hotel garbage. The case failed, because it was held that there was a sufficient tin for the real garbage, and that the rest of the hotel rubbish was not of an offensive or unwholesome nature, and so did not come within the term. There are still many knotty points concerning "garbage" which remain outstanding. In England a distinction is drawn between trade waste and domestic refuse. But in the local ordinance no such line is drawn, and this question has often been raised, but so far has not reached the higher courts.

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CLEANING UP.

It is not in the crowded slum where one finds the worst health conditions nowadays. The death-rate of Sydney is less than that of the country. Out in the little villages where there is no health inspector at all the people run risks in their sanitation, water supply, and food supply. But things are improving. At last meeting of the Severn Shire a complimentary letter was received from the Board of Health concerning conditions at Emmaville. The letter stated that an officer of the board had visited Emmaville, and the substantial improvements in sanitary administration made since his last visit reflected the greatest credit on the council and its officers. It is a common complaint in a number of larger country councils that most of the infectious diseases recorded against them come from the bush to the town.

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ELECTIONS.

One of the reasons why the municipal elections were postponed from January last to next June was to get away from the faction cries of the referendum campaign. The public were to go to the municipal polling booth with cool, clear heads, and none but civic ideals before them. Unfortunately in taking the municipal elector out of the frying pan he has dropped into the fire. On March 24 he will record his State vote. A little more than a month later the Federal elections will tend to keep the political fires burning. In June he has to vote for council candidates. Although it is hard to imagine any connection whatever between conscription and town management there is no doubt it will be raised.

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ROLL OF HONOUR.

GREEN.—Killed in action, France, February 6, 1917, Private Jack Green, aged 17 years 6 months.
Somewhere in France they have laid him,
A soldier so young and so brave;
The best that Australia could offer,
He now sleeps in a hero's grave.
Inserted by his father, Private C. Green (on active service), and mother and brother, Mary and Harold.

GREEN.—Killed in action, France, February 6, 1917, Private Jack Green, aged 17 years and 6 months.
He marched away so bravely,
His young head proudly held;
His footsteps never faltered,
His courage never failed.
Inserted by his loving grandmother, Mrs. C. Donaghue, and uncles, Frank and Jim and Charlie.

GREEN.—Killed in action in France, February 6, 1917, Private Jack Green, aged 17 years and 6 months.
Little we thought when we parted
It was our last farewell.
Inserted by his loving uncles and aunties, Will and Mabel Donaghue, and Jack and Minnie Sabell and children.

KELSO.—Died of wounds, August 10, 1915, Private Norman Kelso, aged 25 years, previously reported missing.
He was only a private in battle,
A part of that great rank and file,
Yet we at home still remember
The day he left us with a smile.
He lay down his life like a hero,
In response to his country's call,
England is proud of our hero,
Who was only a private—that's all.
Inserted by his sorrowing father and stepmother, Lincoln and May Kelso.

LOWRY.—Died February 19, from wounds received in action, Cecil John Thomas Lowry, dearly beloved eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Lowry, Croydon Park.

LOWRY.—Died February 19, from wounds received in action, Cecil John Thomas Lowry, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Ryan, Park-road, city.

LOWRY.—Died from wounds received in action, Cecil Lowry, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Allman, Orange.

M'GEACHIE.—Killed in action, France, July 29, 1916 (previously reported missing), Driver David M'Geachie, beloved elder son of Mr. and Mrs. John M'Geachie, of Collie, W.A.

M'GEACHIE.—Killed in action, France, July 29, 1916 (previously reported missing), Driver David M'Geachie, much-loved grandson of Mrs. David M'Geachie, of Killingworth, and nephew of Jim M'Geachie, Dave M'Geachie, Mrs. Sellers, and Mrs. Stafford.

RYAN.—Killed in action in France, on January 18, 1917, Gunner Jack Ryan, eldest son of Mr. Henry Ryan, of Capertee. May his soul rest in peace.

STEWART.—Killed in action, France, February 4, 1917, Private George Victor Stewart, aged 27 years.
Somewhere in France they have laid him,
A soldier so young and so brave;
The best that Australia could offer;
He now sleeps in a hero's grave.
Inserted by his loving mother, father, brothers, and sisters, of Hurstville.

WESTCOTT.—Killed in action at Gallipoli (Chocolate Hill), on August 22, 1915, Private Wilfred George Westcott, D Company, 18th Battalion, aged 23 years, youngest son of George H. and the late C. A. (Sis) Westcott, of Woodlands-street, Ashfield. Previously reported missing, September 27, 1915.

DEATHS.

CONNELLY.—March 7, 1917, at St. Vincent's Hospital, Mary Agnes, relict of the late John Connelly, of Bega, aged 61 years.

DAVIS.—March 7, Solomon Davis, at his daughter's residence, 8 Grosvenor-street, Bondi Junction, aged 75.

FERGUSON.—March 1, at Cockermouth, England, Leonard Ferguson, of pneumonia, beloved son-in-law of Hugh and Annie Millen, Eastwood, late of Penrith.

McGARRITY.—March 7, at the residence of her daughter, the beloved mother of Mrs. H. Gazzard, Leopold-street, Croydon, age 78.

McMONNIES.—March 7, 1917, at his residence, Muncraig, Monbar-road, Chatswood, David, dearly loved husband of Sarah Jane McMonnies, aged 60 years, late of H. M. Customs.

POPE.—March 7, 1917, at his residence, 130 West-st., North Sydney, Hector Aaron, beloved husband of Violet Edith Pope, in his 49th year.

TRINNICK.—March 6, 1917, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Richard Eyre, Carmen, Dunstaffenage-street, Hurlstone Park, Thursa Trinnick, relict of William Trinnick, of Melbourne.

IN MEMORIAM.

ACOTT.—A tribute to the everlasting memory of my dear brother, Bernard Acott, who gave his life for his country, March 8, 1915, aged 20 years 9 months.
He was a true English son,
And earned his country's pride.
Inserted by his loving brother, Private Bruce Acott, on active service.

BALCOCK.—In ever-loving memory of our dear mother, Frances Elizabeth, who departed this life March 8, 1905. Asleep in Jesus. Inserted by her loving son and daughter-in-law, George and May.

BELL.—In loving remembrance of our dear mother, Mary Ann, who departed this life March 8, 1915. Inserted by her loving daughter, Esther, Mary, and Ted Ryan, Mat. and Jack Morrison, Mrs. J. Bell, Edward and Bertha Bell, Barbara and Thomas Kiely, and her loving grandchildren. Never forgotten.

BERCKELMAN.—In sad and loving memory of my dear wife and our dear mother, Ada Brodie Berckelman, who died March 8, 1914, at Petersham.
Although three years have just gone past
Since that great sorrow fell,
Yet in our hearts we mourn the loss
Of one we loved so well.
Inserted by her loving husband, Will, and family.

BLACKHALL.—In loving memory of our dear son and brother, Charles Henry Blackhall, who was accidentally drowned at Kiama, March 8, 1908. Gone, but not forgotten. Inserted by his loving father, brothers, and sisters.

BROOKS.—In loving memory of our beloved husband and father, Edmund Brooks, who departed this life March 8, 1905. Inserted by his loving wife and family.

BROWN.—In sad but loving memory of our dear mother, Isabella, who departed this life March 8, 1912, at Menangle. Never forgotten.
Your loving smile, your cheerful face,
We now no more behold,
The lips that spoke so kind to us
Are now for ever cold.
Inserted by her loving daughter, Jeanie, and on behalf of all the other members of the family.

CAMERON.—In loving memory of our dear brother, Thomas William, who departed this life March 8, 1915. Gone, but not forgotten. Inserted by his sisters and brothers.

CLIFFORD.—In loving memory of my dear husband, John William Clifford, who was accidentally killed March 8, 1913. Gone, but not forgotten. Inserted by his loving wife (Elizabeth Clifford) and children.

CLIFFORD.—In loving memory of our dear son and brother, Jack Clifford, who was accidentally killed March 8, 1913.
So quick and sudden was the call,
His sudden death surprised us all,
Only those who have lost are able to tell
The pain in our hearts at not saying farewell.
Inserted by his loving father, mother, and family.

DRUMMOND.—In loving memory of my dear wife, Alice Isabel Drummond, who departed this life March 8, 1915.
A painful shock,
A dreadful blow,
Darling Alice, I miss you so.
Inserted by her loving husband, Albert E. Drummond, and daughter, Alice Emma.

DRUMMOND.—In sad but loving memory of our dear daughter, Alice Isabel Drummond, who departed this life March 8, 1915. Inserted by her loving mother and father, Emma and Robert Ware, and family.

DRUMMOND.—In loving remembrance of my dear friend, Alice Drummond, who departed this life on March 8, 1915. Gone, but not forgotten. Inserted by her loving friend, Richard Smith.

FLETCHER.—In sad but loving remembrance of my dear wife (Mary) and our dear mother, who fell asleep March 8, 1913. Sadly missed. Inserted by her loving husband, Jack, and children, Irene and Violet.

FLETCHER.—In sad but loving memory of our daughter-in-law and sister, Mary, who fell asleep March 8, 1913. Love's remembrance lasts for ever. Inserted by Mrs. S. Fletcher and family, Paddington.

FLETCHER.—In loving memory of my dear friend, Mary Fletcher, who departed this life March 8, 1913. Inserted by her everloving friend, Ruth.

FOWLER.—In sad but loving remembrance of my dear mother, Elizabeth Fowler, who departed this life March 8, 1916, aged 82 years. Sadly missed. Inserted by her loving daughter and son-in-law, Alice and John Boothman.

GIGG.—A tribute to the loving memory of my dear friend, Lily, who departed this life March 8, 1914, aged 19 years. "Some time we'll understand." Inserted by her loving friend, Louie.

GRIEVES.—In sad and loving remembrance of my beloved husband and my dear father, Thomas Henry Grieves, who passed away at Sydney Hospital, March 8, 1916. Inserted by his loving wife and daughter, Lavinia and Dorothy Grieves.

GRIEVES.—In fond remembrance of our dear father, Thomas Henry Grieves, who died at Sydney Hospital, March 8, 1916. Inserted by his daughter and son-in-law, Muriel and George White.

GRIEVES.—In ever-loving memory of our dear father, Thomas Henry Grieves, who departed this life at Sydney Hospital, March 8, 1916. Inserted by his affectionate daughter and son-in-law, L. and L. Simon, Pharmacy, Woy Woy.

HODGE.—In loving memory of my dear wife, Elizabeth Catherine, who departed this life March 8, 1915, in her 55th year. Inserted by her loving husband, Christopher Hodge.

HOWES.—Killed in action, Mesopotamia, March 8, 1916, Lieut. Hugh Gilbert Howes.
Never the lotus closes,
Never the wild fowl wakes,
But a soul goes out on the east wind
That died for England's sake.
Deeply mourned by his parents, brothers, and sister, Sgt. Hartnell, Roy, and Joyce.

HOWES.—In memory of my dear friend, Lieut. Hugh Gilbert Howes, who was killed in action in Mesopotamia, on March 8, 1916. Inserted by Doris Rhodes.

HOLDING.—In sad but loving memory of our dear brother, John W. Holding, drowned at Mona Vale March 8, 1916. Inserted by his loving sisters and brother, Mrs. E. Wain, Ross-street, Parramatta, Mrs. J. H. Smith, and Mr. J. G. Holding, Mosman.

MAHER.—In memory of my dear son and my dada, John David Maher, who was killed at Central Yard, March 8, 1911. Inserted by his fond father and only child, Dolly.

MAHER.—In sad but loving memory of my beloved son, John David (Jack), who was crushed to death shunting at Central Yard, 8/3/11. R.I.P. Inserted by his sorrowing mother.

MAYNE.—In fond and loving memory of my dear mother, Elizabeth, who departed this life March 8, 1911. Inserted by her loving son, Frederick.

MORRISON.—In loving memory of our dear mother, who died at Katoomba, March 8, 1909. Inserted by C. and M.

MUNRO.—In loving remembrance of my dear sister, Florence, who departed this life March 8, 1916. Rest in peace. Inserted by her sorrowing sister and brother-in-law, Ivy and Bert Emerson.

PEDDIE.—In sad but loving memory of my dear husband, Richard Cook Peddie, who departed this life March 8, 1916.
When days are dark and friends are few,
Dear Dick, how I long for you;
Peacefully sleeping, resting at last,
Life's weary pain and suffering past.
Inserted by his loving wife, Mabel Peddie.

POWELL.—In loving memory of our dear mother, Elizabeth, who departed this life March 8, 1915.
I often sit and think of you,
Of days when we were all together.
Inserted by her loving daughter and son-in-law, [illegible]

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IN MEMORIAM.

ROACH.—In loving memory of our dear father, William George Roach, who passed away on March 8, 1910. At rest. Inserted by his loving daughters and sons.

RYAN.—In fond memory of my dear mother, Bridget Ryan, who died March 8, 1902. Sacred heart of Jesus, have mercy on her soul. Inserted by her loving son and daughter-in-law, Frank and Agnes.

SCOTT.—In sad but loving memory of our dear father and grandfather, James Scott, who departed this life March 8, 1915. Inserted by his loving son and daughter, Jack, Kit, and grandchildren.

TAUCHERT.—In sad but loving memory of my dear mother, who departed this life March 8, 1909. Inserted by her affectionate daughter and son-in-law, Nell and Jim Fitzgerald.

TAUCHERT.—In loving memory of our dear mother, Norah, who departed this life March 8, 1909. Inserted by her loving son and daughter-in-law, Arthur and Lizzie Tauchert.

TOZZI.—In loving memory of our dear mother and grandmother, Serafina Tozzi, who departed this life March 8, 1908. Gone, but not forgotten. Inserted by her daughter and son-in-law, Sadie and Theo., and grandchildren, Hector and Mena.

WARREN.—In loving memory of my dear son and our brother, Alfred Warren, who died suddenly March 8, 1916, at Mackay, Queensland, aged 36 years. At rest. Inserted by his loving mother and father, sisters, Martha, Elvie.

WARREN.—In loving memory of our dear brother, Alfred Warren, who died suddenly March 8, 1916, aged 36 years.
His memory is as dear to-day
As in the hour he passed away.
Inserted by his loving brother and sister-in-law, William and Mary.

YOUNG.—In loving memory of our dear son and brother, James Edward, who departed this life March 8, 1916, aged 24 years, at Adavale, Queensland.
So quick and sudden was the call,
His sudden death surprised us all;
Only those who loved him are able
To tell the pain in our hearts
At not being able to say farewell.
Inserted by his loving father, mother, brothers, and sisters.

YOUNG.—In loving memory of our dear brother, James Edward Young, who died at Adavale, March 8, 1916.
So quick and sudden was the call,
His sudden death surprised us all.
Only those who have lost are able to tell
The pain in our hearts at not saying farewell.
Inserted by his loving brother and sister-in-law, William and Madge Young, and nephews, Jim and Willie.

RETURN THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. MARTIN, Yillowra-street, Auburn, desires to return sincere THANKS for all kindness, letters, and cards of sympathy in recent sad bereavement.

Mrs. WICKHAM and FAMILY desire to return their sincere THANKS to all kind friends for cards, letters, floral tributes, and assistance rendered in their recent sad bereavement.

The Sydney Morning Herald.

THURSDAY, MARCH 8, 1917.

THE BRITISH FRONT.

The extension of the British front on the West marks the end of what we all hope will prove to have been the penultimate stage of the road to victory. It means that the British army has at the appointed time taken the place assigned to it by the few statesmen and generals who were foresighted enough to predict the end of the war. It means that events have justified the wisdom of Lord Kitchener in his earliest arrangements, and the patience of General Joffre during the attacks on Verdun. We know how, during the worst days of the German pressure, Sir Douglas Haig repeatedly offered to send troops to take part in the defence under French generals. General Joffre did not underrate the danger to his army, but he consistently refused lest he should disarrange the preparations then in train for the offensive on the Somme. The French gained the reward of their endurance in the battle which yielded them many thousands of German prisoners and restored much of their lost ground. They were able to take advantage of an opening which, but for the British, would never have been presented, and they have since held their positions against repeated counter-attacks. The French repeated a few days ago the retort that they had given by their first victory under General Nivelle. No German could imagine henceforward that they were a nation who would snatch at any offer of peace, or that their armies had been exhausted by two years of resistance. But the Allies of France could only be reminded of the terrible strain of those two years. From the outbreak of the war the whole manhood of the nation had been engaged in holding a line stretching from the North Sea to the Vosges. While the eyes of the world were fixed on the gallant expeditionary force during the retreat to Paris, French armies in the east were holding back the enemy with a gallantry and skill without which the victory of the Marne could not have been possible. During 1915 the French were bearing the greater part of the burden of defence, and continually attacking in order to gain positions for the battles of the following year. Throughout 1916 they were enduring the assaults on Verdun, and for the latter part of the year were taking part with the British in the Somme offensive. Such a record adds another to the many titles of France to be regarded as the champion of mankind against the barbarian. But the strain is one which no nation could have endured unless it were inspired by the certainty of relief or of ultimate victory. The French fought with the skill which has marked them as the first soldiers in Europe. But for two years they were fighting against the disasters of the first two months. Whenever they advanced they were attacking from inferior positions, and for a long time, whenever they defended, the superiority in artillery was against them. If France had abounded in population, such a strain as this would have been felt severely; to a nation of less than forty millions it must often have seemed to be near the point of exhaustion.

While France was suffering the worst of her losses without seeming to regain any of her territory, no responsible French leader blamed the British for not coming to her relief. There were politicians who complained that the promised help had not arrived, and their grievances were made the most of by the Germans. But statesmen such as M. Briand insisted on the work of the British navy, reminded the sceptics of the small part originally assigned to the British army in a European war, and assured them of the forces that were being prepared. Englishmen and Frenchmen alike knew that if the strain on the French people must diminish as the war drew near its end, on the British people it must steadily increase. The increase began to be felt when the first casualty lists of the Somme fighting reached England. A nation that had been losing men at the rate of a thousand a day for upwards of a year then felt for the first time what this war meant to the people engaged in it. Many British people, encouraged by the speeches of two of their Ministers, may have thought that these early losses were the beginning of the end of the war. This belief was never held by the British generals. They knew that though they might keep down the rate of casualties their share of the burden of war must increase as they drew near the final collision. We may believe that the highest point of that increase has been reached with this extension of the front. The British have nothing to do with the operations at such vital points as Verdun and Belfort and the Champagne districts, but along their whole line are positions which may indicate the beginning of an offensive or may be exposed to an attack. Almost every one of their hundred and twenty miles must be reckoned with if the Germans make another attempt to reach the sea or when the Allies again begin to recover the North of France. If this were the only contribution of Great Britain to the war we could appreciate the appeals for men which we still heard even under the compulsory system. No consideration for industries could excuse the statesman who allowed the prolonged sacrifices of two great nations to be wasted for lack of support at the critical moment. But the new organisers have speedily taught the nation that Great Britain has other work to do no less essential than that of the army. She has to finance the Allies and to earn money for that purpose. She has to protect the traffic in raw material with oversea countries and the transport of food to herself and France. She is bound at the same time to protect her own population against starvation through the unexpected but possible success of the German submarines. British people who have had some share in this national concentration will forever remember that they have taken part in the most astonishing assertion of national vigour recorded in history. Britons oversea may feel a renewed pride in their race. But such pride must be accompanied by a feeling of shame at the contrast with our own inertia.

CONSCRIPTION AND THE STATE.

It shows how bankrupt the State Labour party is that in the present election campaign conscription has been dragged forth and dressed up to make an issue. All the resources of vituperation and mendacity are being used against the National Government and National candidates in a matter in which the State has no concern whatever; and it is being urged that because in the Federal referendum last year the Commonwealth was divided and conscription was rejected Mr. Holman and his supporters are necessarily engaged in a plot to bring the question forward again. The matter only needs to be stated in these terms to show its inherent absurdity. The truth, of course, is that many people in New South Wales are still afraid that somehow or other compulsory service may be brought in. They are watching the course of events in Europe with increasing uneasiness, and they see that Great Britain is sparing nobody in her determination to be a match for Germany. But this, after all, is not a State problem. The Commonwealth is concerned with the war and with Australia's readiness to fight; and until Federal Ministers say or do something that can be interpreted as a willingness to challenge the decision of the people as given at the last referendum they must surely be believed when they declare that compulsory service is no longer an issue in Federal politics. That being so, how can it possibly become an issue in State politics? The thing is absurd, and on the face of it must be an election gas bomb intended to do as much mischief as possible. If any Liberal who voted "No" at the referendum can lend himself or herself to the Labour party by believing or circulating this thing which is not true, then mere argument or any appeal to reason must be useless. But we refuse to believe that sane people who wish well of the State will lend themselves to the P.L.L. either by listening to its lies or by passing them on; and those who support a Nationalist Government in this time of crisis, as the only way of defeating Germany, will take care that they are not compromised by allowing mendacious statements to pass without an emphatic contradiction.

Nothing can be clearer in this State campaign than the fact that the Opposition is out for revenge. It is determined, if possible, to have Mr. Holman's scalp; and in this respect the Federal elections soon to be fought out will be made another opportunity for feeding fat a personal spite. Mr. Hughes and Mr. Holman are leaders in a breakaway. The Labour party has been split because these erstwhile members of it have undoubtedly put the war first; and no revenge will be worth the name which does not result in their political death and defilement. It has become a purely personal matter. The two leaders are "renegades," in the language of angry extremists who find themselves pilloried in State and Commonwealth; and because they discovered themselves unexpectedly on the side of the majority at the referendum they think it possible to carry their choler further. The majority of October in a Federal issue is to be kept together by any and every means, as far as New South Wales is concerned, for use in the State contest; and to that end conscription is being furbished up as the only available weapon in the circumstances against the Nationalists. New South Wales undoubtedly was responsible for the majority against conscription last October, but the State is not disloyal. It is heartily loyal, and it is prepared to see the war through to the bitter end. Even extremists like Mr. Finlayson in the Federal Parliament have to cry that they believe in Australia fighting to the last; and if we are all agreed on that point what is there left to wrangle over? It only needs that the P.L.L. and its supporters in New South Wales shall advocate voluntary enlistment, and make it a plank in the Labour platform, and compulsion will disappear as a bogey like mist before the morning sun. If it is not a bogey, but something real, the success of voluntary enlistment will kill it with equal facility and celerity. But Labour extremists would be very sorry to see "compulsion" or "conscription" disappear from their armoury or bogey bag. They are hoping to make substantial capital in the near future out of them, and to bring both Mr. Hughes and Mr. Holman down in a vendetta which knows neither limit nor mercy. For sensible electors, wishful to see their State bear a worthy part in the work of developing Australia, and anxious for the good name of the Commonwealth, there is only one thing to do. They must support National candidates on March 24, and prepare the way for a greater victory in the Federal elections two months ahead.

PERSONAL.

VICE-REGAL.

His Excellency the Governor, accompanied by Miss Strickland, and attended by Captain Hon. B. Clifford, A.D.C., opened the annual agricultural show at Mudgee yesterday, and will return to Sydney this morning.

On Tuesday Brigadier-General Lee (State Commandant) visited the military camp at Menangle. Yesterday he inspected the railway unit at the Royal Agricultural Showground. The Brigadier-General and Mrs. Lee visited the New South Wales headquarters of the Red Cross Society in Bridge-street yesterday, and were received by the executive.

Lieut. Tollis has, according to a cable message received by his wife, Mrs. T. W. Tollis, of Ashfield, been promoted to the rank of captain.

Lieut. A. E. Yates, formerly of Duntroon Military College, has, according to a private cable message, been promoted to the rank of captain.

The Rev. John Paterson, of Parramatta, has received news by cable from France that his son, Sergt. A. V. Paterson, has received a commission on the field. Lieut. Paterson was educated at the Sydney Grammar School, and before enlisting was in the office of Messrs. Burns, Philp, and Co., Sydney. Both he and his brother (who is also at the front) are fine athletes.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Sydney Hospital on Tuesday Dr. W. S. Brooks was elected to the staff of the hospital as a temporary hon. assistant surgeon, Dr. Moncrieff Barron having resigned. Mr. W. Glen Deuchar was appointed a life governor of the hospital in respect of a donation of £50.

TWO VOICES.

CAPTAIN TOOMBS ON CONSCRIPTION.

WHAT HANSARD RECORDS.

The Attorney-General, Mr. Hall, speaking last night at Hurstville in support of the candidature of Mr. T. J. Ley, quoted "Hansard" to show how Captain Toombs had changed his views on conscription.

Before Captain Toombs received his orders from the P.L.L. executive, said Mr. Hall, he was an outspoken advocate of compulsory military service. Under orders he was now a violent anti-conscriptionist. To convict Captain Toombs out of his own mouth of gross inconsistency, he (Mr. Hall) would quote from the official record what the member for Hurstville said in his place in Parliament on June 30, 1915. This was what the man who was now appealing to the electors of Hurstville as an anti-conscriptionist said in his speech on the Address in Reply:—

"Let us be sincere. If it is the other fellow's duty to go to the front it is also my duty; and if it is my duty to go to the front it is also the duty of the other fellow. Under those circumstances, put the ballot-box on the table, and let every man in the community who is fit go to the ballot-box and draw his marble. . . . Everyone of us has his duty to perform to the country. It is just as fair for one as for the other to go to the front, and in Great Britain as well as in Australia they will have to put the ballot-box on the table and compel every man, no matter what his position socially and industrially, to draw a marble. And of those who draw a marble let the Government select the ones they think they can best spare to go into the fighting line. . . . I hope that the talk about telling the other fellow to go to the war when we are not prepared to go ourselves will largely cease, and instead let us advocate the putting on the table of the ballot-box in order that every man in the community, no matter what his position in life, may go to the box and draw his marble. Then if it is his fortune to go to the war, let him go like a man. If it is his fortune to stay at home, let him stay at home and do his duty like a citizen of the Empire."

THE CASE OF MR. DICKER, M.H.A.

TROUBLE ON WORKS COMMITTEE.

HOBART, Wednesday.

At a meeting of the Parliamentary Public Works Committee yesterday, members of the committee refused to sit with Mr. David Dicker, M.H.A., who was recently convicted of having uttered statements calculated to prejudice recruiting, and was fined £15. Two members of the committee have each lost a son, and a third a nephew at the war, and these, it was stated, absolutely refused to sit with Mr. Dicker. Mr. Dicker said he had been fined by a British Court of Justice for words which may or may not have been used, and now the committee proposed to inflict further punishment, which amounted to persecution. The committee, at its rising yesterday, adjourned sine die.

STATE ELECTIONS.

SOLDIERS' SEATS.

"CONSCRIPTION IS DEAD."

As leader of the Nationalist campaign Mr. Holman is taking no respite from the work of electioneering. To-night he speaks at Harden, to-morrow night at Young, while on Saturday he addresses two meetings in his own electorate, one at 3 p.m. at Bethungra, and one at 8 p.m. at Cootamundra. Staying in the centre of his own constituency over the week-end, he speaks at Yass on Monday night, and returns to Sydney on Tuesday morning. He will spend only an hour or two in the metropolis, however, as he leaves again before midday on Tuesday next for another strenuous country tour.

Mr. Arthur Cocks, Nationalist candidate for St. Leonards, says:—"Conscription has no more to do with the State election than the question of whether a man is a protectionist or a freetrader. Both of these subjects are of Federal importance, but have no bearing upon State matters. North Sydney put up a splendid vote on that occasion, but both those who voted 'yes' and those who voted 'no' recognise that they were exercising their voting powers as Federal citizens, and I exercised the same privilege on that occasion. As a State election cry—'the cat won't jump'—but in order that there shall not be the slightest misunderstanding in regard to my views on the subject, I say emphatically that I will not be a party to the conscription question again being raised or submitted to the people. The reply was in the negative, and it stands in the negative for the balance of the war."

SURRY HILLS.

NATIONALISTS' CAMPAIGN OPENED.

A successful meeting under the auspices of the National party was held last night at the corner of Foveaux and Bourke streets, Surry Hills. It was addressed by Mr. Percy J. Daly (selected Nationalist candidate) and Mr. W. J. Ferguson.

Mr. Daly dwelt upon the financial question and its importance to the State. He contended that unless the finances were in a healthy condition the nation could not prosper, employment would diminish, and the workers would be faced with poverty. Sound finance would do more for the worker than would a certain class of political agitator. He (Mr. Daly) announced that he had signed a pledge to the effect that the verdict of the people with regard to conscription would be respected. All the other Nationalist candidates had taken similar action.

Mr. Ferguson said that although the people had been divided on the conscription question there were not many in Australia who did not want Great Britain to win the war. (Applause.) The conscription question was dead. But, after all, whether it was to be compulsory service or voluntary service did not matter. Such a squabble reminded him of a man and his wife who were standing outside their house engaged in a heated argument as to whether the residence was to be painted yellow or brown. When the wordy warfare was at its height a man rushed along and told the couple that the house was on fire, and that the best thing to do was to extinguish the outbreak, or there would be no house left. (Laughter and applause.) That was Australia's position at the present time. Unless the people were willing to defend the Commonwealth there would be no Australia left to defend. (Applause.) Many years ago, when Lord Roberts was urging the nation to adopt the principle of compulsory service, several statesmen said "We should stop Lord Roberts's pension. He is doing all he can to antagonise Germany." Now, said Mr. Ferguson, the British nation was spending £7,000,000 or £8,000,000 a day to defeat Germany. If every portion of the Empire did its utmost it would not be long before Prussian militarism was crushed. (Applause.)

SOLDIERS' SEATS.

MR. STOREY'S ATTITUDE.

Further reference was made yesterday by Mr. Hall, Attorney-General, to the attitude assumed by Mr. John Storey, leader of the P.L.L. Labour party, on the question of opposition to soldier legislators who are on military service.

"Mr. Storey persistently confuses the case of Captain Connell with that of the members of Parliament who are on service," said Mr. Hall. "Captain Connell has never been in Parliament. He is a school teacher, and as such his position has been guaranteed to him when he returns by the Government. Messrs. Arkins and Nicholson, however, are members of Parliament; but their positions will not be open to them when they return if the P.L.L. and Mr. Storey can help it.

"Left to himself," went on Mr. Hall, "Mr. John Storey is a good sport, and a straight man, and he would denounce anyone mean enough to steal a soldier's seat. But his masters have ordained that he shall not do so. They have less chivalry than he has; and so they send a shearers' agent and a miners' president to steal the seats of two members who are away fighting. All the men with decent instincts inside the Labour movement are in the same position as Mr. Storey. They look in sorrowful silence on a course of action which their bosses will not permit them to condemn."

P.L.L. AND CONSCRIPTION.

Inquiries in well-informed circles have elicited information which goes to show that the P.L.L. executive is not consistent on the question of conscription. From a reliable source it has been learned that many P.L.L. members who are known to have been ardent conscriptionists have not had their membership interfered with. It is also stated that the P.L.L. executive has on record a letter from Captain Connell, its candidate for the Kahibah seat, declaring himself straight-out, after his departure from Australia, to be a decided conscriptionist. It is also stated that members of Captain Connell's family, who are very old unionists and members of the P.L.L., were supporters of the Prime Minister during the referendum campaign. It would appear that the expulsions of conscriptionists were confined to those whose positions were sought after by others.

Another matter to which attention was drawn yesterday was the fact that ever since it was exposed, no official of the P.L.L. executive has had the courage to accept the challenge thrown out by an ex-member to produce the minutes of a certain meeting at which a resolution opposed to voluntary recruiting was carried by about 16 votes to five. There is nothing unique about P.L.L. candidates pledging themselves against conscription now; all the Nationalist candidates have done that. But the onus is on the P.L.L. to prove that it is not equally opposed to voluntary recruiting, which means further participation in the war.

MR. PHILLIPS FOR DARLING HARBOUR.

Mr. W. J. Phillips, the Nationalist candidate for the Darling Harbour electorate, opened his campaign with an open-air meeting on Tuesday at Miller's Point tram terminus, and had a good meeting. There were about 500 people present.

Mr. Phillips opened by saying he was Australian born, and had been an Australian worker all his life. He had been connected with the Labour political movement from its establishment, because it stood for the uplifting of humanity, the betterment of the whole people, for liberty, and for justice to all. As one who had been for 40 years a worker, he believed in freedom from dictatorial coercion such as it was sought to impose upon the people by a little group within the organisation of one political party. The party to which he belonged represented reason and moderation in public life, and also represented its enlightened and progressive elements. It represented the right of every man for a reasonable freedom, just as Great Britain did. When little Belgium was over-run by the enemy Great Britain rushed to her relief, and the young men of Australia lent a helping hand, and went to the assistance of the small nations.

This was too much for one excited individual in the audience, who declared that the candidate was a conscriptionist, and challenged him to come down and have it out.

Mr. Phillips denied having used the word conscription, but the man said he had used it, and Holman had used it, and for a couple of minutes he desired the candidate to come down and have it out. Then he stopped suddenly and became quiet. A policeman was in the crowd.

This interlude gave Mr. Phillips the opportunity of saying that the vote of last October had disposed of the conscription question. In any case, it was not a matter with which the State Parliament had to deal; but he was willing to pledge himself to oppose conscription. The worker was his first personal consideration, and we could not secure for the Australian people the benefits of progress unless we were prepared to face all the problems that confronted us as they arose. He claimed that not only in numbers but in quality his wing of the Labour party represented all that stood for the uplifting of humanity. The National party came into being on November 17 last, and had passed 26 Acts of Parliament, all designed for the benefit of the whole people. One of the best was the Workmen's Compensation Act. He stood himself for the principle of trades unionism, which was one of the greatest institutions of the country. In this he stood for the rights of the unions to a quicker hearing of disputes, and the appointment of two extra Judges to the Arbitration Court was an earnest of the wish of the present Government to secure greater promptitude in dealing with Labour troubles. The system in vogue up to now had caused great delays, and it was not to be wondered that men grew tired of waiting. As to the promised legislation of the Government regarding trades unions having the right to own newspapers and to take a plebiscite of members on various questions, it was a step forward.

PARRAMATTA.

Mr. Albert Bruntnell, the Nationalist candidate for Parramatta, is carrying on a vigorous campaign, and has a splendidly-organised committee. Mr. Bruntnell has been well received in the various centres that he has already visited, and has been promised support by many electors who voted against him at the last election. The general opinion is that he will poll a much larger vote than he did at the last election, when the result was a surprise to even his most ardent supporters.

Mr. J. S. Garden, the selected Labour candidate, held two meetings at Parramatta on Tuesday evening. The candidate claimed the suffrage of the electors because he was fighting for freedom and liberty. He said that Mr. Holman had stated that if ever he left the Labour movement he would leave politics. Had he done so? Mr. Holman had been put outside the Labour movement, and still he was again before the people not as a Labour leader, but as the leader of a new party. He (the speaker) could not comprehend how Mr. Bruntnell could claim the suffrages of the Parramatta electors. Just a year ago he denounced Mr. Holman and his financial policy, and stated that Mr. Holman would lead the State on to the rocks of bankruptcy. To-day Mr. Bruntnell asked the electors to support him because he was supporting Mr. Holman. If he could turn like that, did he expect the people to somersault as easily? A vote of confidence in the candidate was passed.

MR. HICKEY ADVOCATES RECONCILIATION.

At the Waterloo Town Hall on Wednesday night Mr. Simon Hickey, the selected Labour candidate for Alexandria, opened his campaign. Mr. M. Francis, president of the Alexandria P.L.L. council presided. Mr. Hickey said that he was secretary of the old Labour party. Although he was an anti-conscriptionist, he had always maintained, within party circles, that it was a question upon which there need be no split. With Mr. John Storey, the present Labour leader, he had waited on the central executive a few days before the taking of the poll, and urged the withdrawal of all disqualifications. He now refused to believe in the permanency of present party alignment. On the other hand, the declaration of peace and the return to ordinary legislative work would speedily disturb strange fellowships.

A vote of confidence in Mr. Hickey was carried unanimously.

WILLOUGHBY.

During the course of his address at Blue's Point, on Tuesday, Mr. R. W. D. Weaver, the selected National candidate for Willoughby, said the National party, to which he subscribed, "stood for a broader citizenship, a wider outlook, and a nobler Empire, in which the preservation of responsible government and the maintenance of racial pride must be upheld at all costs. The party that you are now asked to support," said Mr. Weaver, "is not a one-man party; its ideals are nation-wide, aiming at an unswerving policy of winning the war. It does not hope to accomplish that by the toleration of strikes or by placating one section of the community to the detriment of the other, but by serving the State as a whole." Mr. Weaver said that the National Government under Mr. Holman proposed to strengthen the industrial foundations by making it impossible for any compact of workers to strike, and at the same time take shelter behind the Arbitration laws. Mr. Holman had made it clear that the health policy as well as the educational policy of the new party was an entirely progressive one.

The candidate was accorded a good hearing throughout, and was frequently applauded.

Mr. J. H. King writes stating that he is taking the platform for the selected National candidate for Willoughby, and many of his friends are loyally supporting the selected candidate.

MR. GRIFFITH AND CONSCRIPTION.

Mr. Griffith has asked us to amplify our report of the remarks on the above subject made by him at Forest Lodge on Tuesday evening last. He says that from our necessarily condensed report he might be understood to have changed his views on the subject of conscription. This is not so. Mr. Griffith says he told the electors that though he knows no attempt will be made to evade the verdict of the electors, still he would pledge himself should anything of this kind be attempted to resist it to the uttermost. He had in no way changed his views on the subject of conscription, but was determined as a democrat that the deliberately expressed verdict of the electors must be respected. If, however, at any time in the future the conditions at the front should make it necessary to submit the question of conscription to the people again he held himself free as a Commonwealth elector to give the proposal his support again.

DRUMMOYNE.

MR. GRAFF'S CANDIDATURE.

An enthusiastic meeting was held at the Masonic Hall, Drummoyne, on Monday night, when the selected National candidate, Mr. John Alex. Graff, opened his campaign. Mr. John Carland gave a vigorous address in support.

A successful meeting was also held at the Chelmsford Hall, Five Dock, on Tuesday night, and a letter received by Mr. Graff from the independent candidate, Mr. Kirkaldy, intimating that he had "absolutely withdrawn from the contest," was read. Mr. Kirkaldy added: "My reason for this action is that I fully realise the undesirableness of the National vote of the electorate being divided, and as you are the selected National candidate I unconditionally withdraw in your favour, and I shall request all those who would have voted for me to support you."

CAMPERDOWN.

Mr. William E. J. Weller, selected Nationalist candidate for Camperdown, spoke on Tuesday night from the balcony of Wood's Hotel, Forest Lodge.

There was a rowdy element present, and whenever the candidate made a good point there was a chorus of "booh-hoos," followed by several irrelevant interjections. But Mr. Weller kept on. He was evidently prepared for a few hard knocks, and before the meeting closed he had given more than he had received.

Speaking, Mr. Weller said, as one who had travelled in the country districts for many years, he did not like to think of the calamity that would befall New South Wales if the National party was defeated on March 24. Mr. Storey had no experience of national finance, and even if the Labour party were returned by a large majority it would not be able to borrow money from the old-world financiers. The result would be that all public works would have to be discontinued. There would then be a great deal of unemployment, and consequently much poverty.

A voice: What about conscription?

Mr. Weller replied that conscription was dead. The people had given their verdict, and it would be respected. All Nationalist candidates were signing a pledge to that effect, and for his own part he would be prepared to hand in his undated resignation, which could be used if necessary.

At this juncture there was much hooting, and when order had been restored Mr. Weller said that, as one of the candidates, he was determined to get "that British fair play which the P.L.L. was always talking so much about."

Mr. Weller mentioned that for many years he had been connected with the Labour party, but it could be understood why decent men were leaving that party when it had expelled a sturdy old democrat like Mr. James M'Gowen. At one time an old member of the P.L.L. decided to start a tailoring business in the city, but he was not supported by the Labour people, and because he found it necessary to employ a couple of hands a delegate said the tailor was a capitalist, and should be expelled. That, said Mr. Weller, would serve to show what sort of people were controlling the Labour movement.

MR. WADDELL AT COWRA.

COWRA, Wednesday.

Mr. Waddell addressed a meeting here. He said the supreme issue that confronted the electors was whether the State shall make peaceful and rapid progress under constitutional government, with a free Parliament, a free Press, and free citizenship, with justice for all and favours for none, or whether constitutional government shall be abolished, representation of the people become a sham, and responsible government cease.

"The question raised," said Mr. Waddell, "is not whether this or that party plank shall be adopted, but whether the Constitution, built up by the wisest statesmen of the Empire, and founded on the experience of centuries, shall be trampled underfoot by an assembly of thoughtless, inexperienced men, representing one fraction of the people. The most ignorant person should know that the rights and liberties of the people can only be protected by strict adherence to the forms and procedure of representative government. Bad laws may be passed, but they can be repealed; but if the Constitution—the foundation of all law—is trampled underfoot the seeds of anarchy are sown, and the days of peaceful progress are gone."

POLLING BOOTHS AT SCHOOLS.

The Education Department announces that it has been decided to allow the use of school buildings for polling purposes on March 24, on the understanding that school work is not interfered with in any way. The premises are not to be taken over by the returning officer until after school hours on Friday, March 23, and are to be left clean and ready for school work at 9 a.m. on the following Monday.

Teachers may accept positions as returning officers and poll clerks, provided they do not absent themselves from school the following week for any purposes incidental to their work in connection with the elections.

PARLIAMENTARY STATIONERY.

FREE SUPPLIES RESTRICTED.

Supplies of stationery to members of Parliament during recess are to be cut down, by order of the Premier.

It is officially stated that Mr. Holman's decision has been arrived at in view of requests by some members for extraordinarily large quantities of stationery. For instance, one request ran to 1500 envelopes, and another to 2000 sheets of manifolding paper.

HARTLEY.

WENTWORTH FALLS, Wednesday.

The National candidate for Hartley, Mr. J. Ryan, addressed a large and enthusiastic meeting in the School of Arts, with Mr. W. H. Golding in the chair. A vote of confidence, supported by three ex-Labour men, was carried unanimously. Mr. Ryan during the day also addressed meetings at Bodington and the Queen Victoria Homes, King's Tableland.

MR. FITZGERALD AT JUNEE.

JUNEE, Wednesday.

Mr. J. D. Fitzgerald, M.L.C., Minister for Health, spent two days at Junee, speaking at Old Junee on Monday night to a large audience and afterwards forming a branch of the National Federation, with Mr. J. M. Green, farmer, as president.

ASHBURNHAM.

GOOLAGONG, Wednesday.

Mr. Arthur Grimm, Nationalist candidate for Ashburnham, addressed the electors at Goolagong, and received an attentive hearing. He expressed pleasure at the union of forces in opposition to the Trades Hall domination, and deprecated party quibbling at a time when the nation was engaged in a life and death struggle. He believed that the wheat pool was the only possible solution for marketing the crop under existing freight difficulties. He claimed that the farmers were entitled to higher prices for wheat, but urged them to rise to a patriotic duty, and produce as much grain as possible. He vigorously supported a policy of the resumption of estates. He believed that the fusion of parties would make for settled politics for many years.

BATHURST CONTEST.

BATHURST, Wednesday.

Mr. H. Melville, a former member of the P.L.L., speaking at Sunny Corner in support of the candidature of Mr. John Miller, the National candidate for Bathurst, remarked that he had been a follower of Mr. Holman for 20 years. Three years ago the Labour movement had been one of the finest in the country's history, but now all the brainy men had been expelled. The remaining members appeared like a cricket team with all the good batsmen and bowlers out; only the tail was left. He had listened to the remnant of the Labour members in Parliament, and had come to the conviction that no self-respecting politician could continue in any other position than behind the National party.

MR. GRAHAME AT WICKHAM.

NEWCASTLE, Wednesday.

Mr. W. C. Grahame, Minister for Agriculture, opened his campaign for Wickham at Hamilton on Monday. There was a large attendance, and at times the meeting became unruly. Mr. T. Torpey, Mayor of Hamilton, presided.

Mr. Grahame said that he had represented Wickham for nine and a half years. He would defy any man to say that he had abandoned one plank of the platform on which he had been returned. Referring to conscription, he said that he was as true an anti-conscriptionist now as ever he had been. He had told the P.L.L. Executive twelve months before the referendum that he was not a conscriptionist. There were, however, men whom they knew were conscriptionists in their heart and who spoke as anti-conscriptionists. He had broken no plank of the P.L.L. platform, but because he would not do what Doyle and his crowd told him he was expelled from the movement. He then joined the Nationalists. The conscription question was dead and buried.

WOLLONGONG.

WOLLONGONG, Wednesday.

Mr. J. B. Nicholson, National candidate, opened his political campaign in the Wollongong Town Hall on Monday, and received a good hearing. He was supported by Mr. Farrar, M.L.C., who contended that the expulsion of Mr. Nicholson and other members from the Labour movement was unconstitutional, as they had broken no planks of the Labour platform.

At his opening meeting Mr. W. Davies, the P.L.L. candidate, said the issue before the electors was conscription or anti-conscription.

DARWIN ELECTORS AND MR. HUGHES.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

A requisition to the Federal Prime Minister (Mr. Hughes) asking him to be a candidate for the Darwin (Tas.) seat in the House of Representatives in opposition to Mr. O'Malley is being largely signed by the electors.

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Mr. Norman M'Intosh opened his campaign at Hornsby. He pledged his support to the National Government, and to what he termed "the most progressive, democratic, and honest platform ever submitted to the electors." A large committee consisting of both old Liberal and Labour supporters was formed.

THE LIQUOR ISSUE.

Mr. James Marion, general secretary of the N.S.W. Alliance, stated yesterday that the Alliance would be an active participant in the general election. Meetings will be held all over the State, and it has been arranged to hold a rally in the Sydney Town Hall on Monday, March 19.

SOLDIER POLITICIANS.

At an executive committee meeting of the N.S.W. Alliance, it was unanimously resolved that all candidates on active service should be patriotically supported, irrespective of their attitude on the liquor question.

WOMEN AND LABOUR.

A meeting of women electors of the King and Belmore divisions was held at the Protestant Hall on Tuesday. Mrs. Kate Dwyer presided.

The following motion was carried:—"That this meeting expresses its disgust at the coalition of politicians who have for a lifetime advocated diametrically opposite principles, and we pledge ourselves to do the utmost in our power to secure the return of the selected candidates of the Australian Labour movement."

Mr. Walter Douglas Kirkaldy, who is contesting the Drummoyne seat as an Independent Nationalist, was wrongly classified in our list of nominations as a P.L.L. candidate.

The Minister for Public Health and Local Government (Mr. J. D. Fitzgerald) has gone to the Cootamundra electorate to assist in the campaign on Mr. Holman's behalf, while the Premier is helping other Nationalist candidates in their electorates.

P. AND O.

CHANGES IN LOCAL MANAGEMENT.

AGENTS APPOINTED.

Although not yet officially announced, it is understood in shipping circles that after March 31 the Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company will cease to have direct representatives in Australia, and the work heretofore performed in Sydney by Mr. A. Gordon Wesche, the company's superintendent in Australia, will be undertaken by Messrs. Macdonald, Hamilton, and Co., as agents. It is stated that Mr. Wesche has been admitted as a partner in Messrs. Macdonald, Hamilton, and Co., and that he will continue to have charge of the affairs of the P. and O. Company.

Similar changes in the mode of representation have been made by the P. and O. Company in India, where Messrs. Mackinnon, Mackenzie, and Co. were recently appointed agents in Bombay and Calcutta. Lord Inchcape, when addressing the shareholders in London in December last, referred to the change of management in India, and said:—"Other arrangements for co-ordination in the management and working of P. and O. and British India Company's services have been brought into operation, while more are in view, and these will be gradually introduced as circumstances permit, without doing any injustice to men who have served us well."

COMPANY'S HISTORY IN AUSTRALIA.

The Peninsular Company was founded in 1837, and in 1840 the company was expanded into the Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company, being incorporated by Royal charter, but as it was practically the same company, though enlarged, its foundation dates from the formal opening of its first mail service in 1837. It is claimed that no other shipping company has a record of the same length of public service, combined with such a wide range of operations.

In 1851 the Admiralty invited tenders for a line from Singapore to Sydney in connection with the China line, but starting only once every two months. So little it was thought would suffice for the requirements of Australia. The tenders were deposited on February 26, 1852, and on March 6 the Treasury authorised the acceptance of the proposals made by the P. and O. Company. Since that time the company has been engaged almost continuously in the carriage of mails between Great Britain and Australia. Although the mail and passenger services have, since the outbreak of hostilities, been conducted at a great increase in expense, and in many cases at great pecuniary loss, it has been the declared policy of the company to maintain them throughout the war at all costs.

The first superintendent in Australia for the P. and O. Company was Mr. Franklin E. Kendall, who was appointed in 1866. Mr. Kendall was succeeded by Mr. George Withers, followed by Mr. E. Trelawney, and the retiring superintendent, Mr. A. Gordon Wesche.

THE RETIRING SUPERINTENDENT.

Mr. Gordon Wesche, the retiring superintendent, was appointed superintendent in Australia for the Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company in July, 1912. Mr. Wesche was born in Bombay in 1865, and at the age of 15 months went to England in the steamer Poona, one of the first of the P. and O. fleet. He was educated in England, and joined the P. and O. service in London in 1881, and received his training experience in the principal departments of the office. After four and a half years in the London office, Mr. Wesche went to Bombay, and served the company there from 1886 to 1889. In the latter year he came to Sydney, and with the exception of trips to England in 1897 and 1911, he has been in Sydney ever since. He was a member of the council of the Sydney Chamber of Commerce in 1910, and for two years acted as vice-president. Mr. Wesche was the founder of the Oversea Shipping Representatives' Association, of which he was the first chairman, from July, 1912, to June, 1915. At the invitation of the Prime Minister (Mr. Hughes) he became a member of the recently-formed Commonwealth Shipping Board.

MAIL BAG STOLEN.

REGISTERED LETTERS FROM THE COUNTRY.

It was stated last night by Mr. E. J. Young, Deputy Postmaster-General, that the theft of a registered mail bag had been discovered on Tuesday. At present it was impossible to say what the actual loss amounted to, but special inquiry officers of the department had been detailed for duty in connection with the matter.

Mr. Young said that the mail bag contained the registered mail from country centres to the city. The theft took place between 10 and 6 o'clock on Tuesday morning. That it was premeditated was evidenced by the fact that a dummy mail bag was substituted for the stolen bag, and was delivered at the General Post Office by the departmental lorry which carried the early morning mail. When opened at the G.P.O. it was found to contain no mail matter or anything of value.

PRIME MINISTER.

ACTION AGAINST A SENATOR.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

A writ was issued to-day at the instance of the Prime Minister (Mr. Hughes) against Senator David Watson. The writ sets out that the claim is for damages for slander, spoken and published by defendant of and concerning the plaintiff on March 3 and March 5. No amount of damages is stated, but it is asked in the writ that the trial of the action shall take place in Melbourne, and that there should be pleadings.

FALSE REPORTS.

ANOTHER REFUTATION.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

In the House of Representatives to-day the Minister for the Navy (Mr. Cook), replying to Mr. Boyd, again emphasised the fact that no Australian troopships had been sunk, and no lives lost. The dangers of the situation generally, however, were not less than they had been.

SIR ERNEST SHACKLETON.

TO LECTURE AT TOWN HALL.

Sir Ernest Shackleton, the leader of the Antarctic Expedition, who will arrive in Sydney from New Zealand on Monday, has consented to deliver a lecture in the Town Hall on Wednesday evening next, in aid of a fund for the benefit of the widow of Captain Aeneas Mackintosh, the leader of the Ross Sea party, who perished in the Polar regions. Sir Ernest will relate his experiences in the Antarctic, and his address will be illustrated by lantern slides, which he has collected during his expedition.

This should be an event of supreme interest to those of us who have been so deeply thrilled by the bravery of those gallant explorers who have upheld the flag of the Empire, and it is anticipated that the Town Hall will be crowded.

A strong and influential committee has been formed to further the movement, and a meeting, to which all those interested are cordially invited, will be held in the cloakroom of the Town Hall at 3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon. The hon. secretaries are Miss Marjorie Mort and Miss Jessie Cape, and the hon. treasurers Mr. T. F. Knox and Mr. Alfred G. Milson.

RETURNED SOLDIERS' ASSOCIATION.

A meeting attended by about 100 returned soldiers was held at the R.S.A. rooms last night, when the following motions were carried unanimously:—

"That the general administration of the R.S.A. has in the past been unsatisfactory to the majority of the members."

"That the above resolution be signed by those present and forwarded to the Dean of Sydney, asking the present administration to resign from office."

THE MAILS.

It is expected that Vancouver mails will reach Sydney in time for delivery on Saturday, and that English mails will probably be received in time for delivery on Monday next.

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BRITISH

FURTHER PROGRESS

WILL ENEMY AGAIN RETIRE?

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AMERICA

NOTE FROM AUSTRIA

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IRELAND

EFFORTS AT SETTLEMENT

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The British have made further progress on the Somme and Ancre fronts.

The possibility of the Germans retiring beyond the Bapaume line is being commented on. Some correspondents think certain signs indicate that another withdrawal is contemplated.

The American President is still considering the question of arming merchantmen under his own authority.

The relations between Austria and the United States are being closely reviewed, in the light of Austria's reply to a recent American Note.

The British Government is making an effort to settle the Irish Home Rule problem, and an important statement is expected immediately.

THE WESTERN FRONT.

FURTHER PROGRESS.

LONDON, March 6.

Sir Douglas Haig, reporting at midnight on Tuesday, says: We made further progress north-westward of Irles and northward of Puisieux au Mont.

We raided trenches eastward of Bouchavesnes. Later, our artillery dispersed the enemy, who was massing for a counter-attack on the trenches we recently captured eastward of Bouchavesnes.

A French communique on Tuesday afternoon stated:—Our fire and counter-attacks smashed up German attempts to drive us out of portions of trenches we recaptured yesterday north of Caurieres Wood, north of Verdun.

The French communique issued at midnight on Tuesday says: Between the Oise and the Aisne our destructive fire wrecked enemy organisations. North-west of Moulin-sous-Touvent we demolished casemates and dugouts north of Autreches. There were violent artillery actions north of the Meuse, along the Chambrettes-Bezonvaux front. There were no infantry actions.

A Berlin official message says:—There has been most violent artillery fire on the right bank of the Somme. We repulsed British attacks east of Bouchavesnes.

WEATHER FAVOURS ENEMY.

The correspondent, Mr. Philip Gibbs, writing from British headquarters in France, says:—The prevalent bad weather on the Somme front on the whole is to the advantage of the enemy, because his main object is to gain time. His retirement continues slowly.

The enemy is now right back to the defences before Bapaume. The problem ahead of us is to discover whether he intends to defend this line, or to get quite clear of the salient, thus shortening his line by thirty miles. At present, it is impossible to say, though the indications probably suggest that the enemy is playing a great strategical game, and is not merely seeking to save his pawns.

EXTENT OF WITHDRAWAL.

There are further indications behind Bapaume that the Germans are preparing to flit. Fires are burning in the villages. Apparently, the enemy is burning useless stores. The Germans are sending away the civilians. Railway activity is abnormal. Yet these signs are uncertain. They may merely be bluff, in order to lure us on. Some of the prisoners say that the Germans intend an extensive withdrawal, but they probably know nothing of their commanders' plans.

At present it seems certain that Arras will mark the limit of the withdrawal, because it is inconceivable that the Germans will abandon Vimy Ridge, which would mean the loss of the Lens coalfields. Anyhow, our guns are working hard on the Bapaume defences. The German guns, massed east of Bapaume, fling all kinds of shells on the abandoned ground between Gommecourt and Le Transloy.

AUSTRALIANS IN THE FOREFRONT.

OPPOSED BY PRUSSIAN GUARDS.

LONDON, March 7.

The most recent messages from Mr. Bean, Australian war correspondent, are being given prominence in the newspapers. They are attracting much attention as they are disclosing the Australians' activity in the forefront of the British advance in the Bapaume sector. Special attention is directed to the fact that the Prussian Guards are being utilised to oppose their advance.

ENEMY WITHDRAWAL.

TERRIBLE GERMAN LOSSES.

An eye-witness, describing the evacuated ground in the Bapaume region, declares:—It is impossible to doubt the reason for the enemy's retreat. It is simply that the loss of life was too terrible. Our gunfire is unendurable. Horrors on the field are indescribable. Apparently the Germans were too absorbed in their sufferings to worry about dead comrades, and left them where they fell, unless they fell in the trenches, in which case they were merely thrown out. Some had lain on No-Man's-Land since the vain counter-attacks on our new positions were made in November.

I can vouch for the fact that our losses during the winter war have been nothing remotely resembling the German. Behind the trenches, where the reliefs passed on the open ground, prone figures lay everywhere in overcoats, with full kits melting into the mud. But it would be wrong to suppose our men have an easy task ahead. They certainly have their work cut out.

SWEDISH CABINET RESIGNS.

STOCKHOLM, March 7.

Following a series of vigorous attacks on the Premier, since January, the Swedish Cabinet has resigned. The last incident was the reduction of the postponed Government vote for the defence of Sweden's neutrality. The constitution of the new Cabinet is uncertain. The King has been appealed to.

RUSSIANS IN PERSIA.

TURKS WITHDRAWING.

(Admiralty—per Wireless Press.)

LONDON, March 6.

A Russian official message states: Our Caucasus army is pursuing the Turks, who are withdrawing from the Bidjur Zona (western Persia). We occupied the villages of Husseitabad and Chariak.

We attacked the summit of Assadabad (south-east of Hamadan) and south-east of Abzol Lake we are pursuing the Turks towards Dovletabad.

GERMANY'S PLOTS.

ZIMMERMANN'S DEFENCE.

AMSTERDAM, March 6.

In a discussion in the Reichstag the Socialists severely criticised the Note regarding Mexico. Herr Zimmermann (Foreign Minister) justified it. He pointed out that he had been repeatedly blamed because he did not endeavour to win new allies. He could not explain the leakage of the contents of the Note to America.

The Progressive section urged members to await Count von Bernstorff's return before accusing him.

DESIGNS AGAINST INDIA.

NEW YORK, March 6.

Dr. Chanader Chakiaberty, a Hindu physician, and Dr. Ernst Skunner, a German, have been arrested and charged with setting on foot a military expedition against a friendly nation.

Accused admitted that they received £12,000 from Wolff Voniger, a German plotter, to start a revolution in India.

Dr. Chakiaberty recently visited Germany with false passports, pretending to be a Persian.

JAPAN TO AMERICA.

WASHINGTON, March 6.

The Emperor of Japan sent the following message to President Wilson on the occasion of his inauguration: I offer sincere congratulations and express an ardent wish that your administration may be attended by brilliant successes in the future, and that the United States will grow more and more prosperous.

BOMBS FOR GERMANS.

BRITISH AND FRENCH RAIDS.

LONDON, March 6.

The Admiralty announces: Naval aeroplanes dropped many heavy bombs on the 4th inst. on blast furnaces at Brebach (in the Rhine Valley).

A French communique states:—British naval aeroplanes dropped 40 bombs on railway stations at Brebach and St. Avold respectively, south-east and south-west of Saarbruck (in Alsace). Most of the bombs struck their objectives.

French airmen bombed railway stations and military establishments near Strassburg; they also dropped three tons of bombs on an aerodrome at Vaarenne, in the Oise district, seriously damaging the sheds.

POPE AND THE WAR.

LONDON, March 7.

The Milan correspondent of the "Daily Telegraph" says that the Pope has summoned a special Consistory to sit before Easter. It is believed that it will have political aspects, and that the Pope will make an important pronouncement on the war; and that he will particularly express abhorrence of the iniquitous submarine campaign being waged with such barbarity, especially against neutrals.

HOLLAND SHORT OF FOOD.

AMSTERDAM, March 6.

Owing to shortage of flour Holland has prohibited the export of bread to Belgium.

OVERSEA OFFICERS' CLUB.

LONDON, March 7.

The Duke of Connaught opened the Royal Oversea Officers' Club. The premises were taken over from the Automobile Club. Sir Joseph and Lady Ward, Sir Thomas Mackenzie, Sir George Reid, M.P., and the Agents-General were present.

IMPERIAL DELEGATES.

ATTEND WAR CABINET.

LONDON, March 6.

The Canadian and New Zealand Ministers who are delegates to the Imperial War Conference attended, for two hours, a sitting of the War Cabinet. Mr. Lloyd George presided. It is understood that Mr. Long (Secretary of State for the Colonies) will preside over any outside conferences of the oversea delegates.

Now that it is certain that Mr. Hughes and others are not coming, it is expected that the special War Cabinet will hold its first full session on Monday week.

AUSTRIA AND U.S.A.

SUBMARINE QUESTION.

ATTEMPT AT CONCILIATION.

AMSTERDAM, March 6.

Austria has replied to the Note sent by President Wilson when the United States broke off diplomatic relations with Germany in consequence of the latter's unrestricted use of submarines. Austria was asked if she had adopted Germany's new policy.

Austria, in her reply, alleges that British violations of international law were the starting point of the unrestricted submarine policy, which Austro-Hungary endorsed.

The Note declares that neutrals have no rights, apart from being informed of the nature of the measures of belligerents so as to enable them to prevent their subjects travelling on enemy vessels. Neutral subjects take the consequences if they travel through a prohibited zone. Austro-Hungary will welcome the United States co-operation to protect lives by warning Americans accordingly.

NEW YORK, March 6.

After the first reading of the Austro-Hungarian Note, Government circles are inclined to interpret it as an effort to placate Washington and Berlin. President Wilson's attitude is not yet officially known, but circles usually in his confidence think he will not break off diplomatic relations with Austro-Hungary unless Austrian submarines attack merchantmen.

A later Washington message says: There is a consensus of opinion that the Austrian Note is unsatisfactory.

The "Herald" says: Relations between the United States and Austria must be broken off. There has been overmuch dallying.

ARMED SHIPS BILL.

ANXIOUS SENATORS.

WASHINGTON, March 6.

Owing to the intensity of public anger against the Senate minority which held up the bill authorising the President to arm ships and take other measures against German submarines, the filibustering senators are explaining that they did not intend to kill the Armed Neutrality Bill.

The Democrats and Republicans in the Senate met in caucus and jointly appointed a committee to draw up a scheme to prevent filibustering (stone-walling).

THE PRESIDENT'S POWER.

President Wilson conferred with the State Secretary, Mr. Lansing, and the Secretary for the Navy, Mr. Daniels, on the question of arming ships. A majority of experts is of opinion that President Wilson possesses the necessary power.

President Wilson may give his decision on Wednesday.

"GERMANY EXPECTS WAR."

A wireless despatch to the "Tribune" from Mr. Ackerman, who is with Mr. Gerard (now at sea, on his return to America from Germany), asserts that Mr. Gerard's reports emphasise that Germany expects war with the United States. The United States should prepare, especially against submarining in American waters.

NEED FOR STRONG NAVY.

The Secretary of the Navy, Mr. Daniels, has ordered the United States huge naval building programme to be completed in half the time originally alloted.

GLEEFUL GERMANS.

ROTTERDAM, March 7.

The German newspapers gleefully refer to President Wilson's defeat by the Senate minority. They praise the so-called "genuinely neutral" senators, and declare that President Wilson has little hope of securing the desired powers from the new Senate.

BRITISH WAR PENSIONS.

LONDON, March 6.

Replying to Mr. Asquith in the House of Commons, Mr. Bonar Law (leader of the House) announced that, owing to the establishment of the Ministry of Pensions, the Prince of Wales had resigned the chairmanship of the Statutory Committee. Mr. Bonar Law paid a tribute to the Prince's work during his tenure of office. The committee had laid the foundation for a system of pensions and allowances, which was more generous than any previously in existence. The Prince of Wales, he said, had also resigned the chairmanship of the National Relief Fund.

On the supplementary pensions vote Mr. G. N. Barnes (Minister for Pensions) said that the new Royal warrant proposed a flat rate for pensions, ranging from 27s to 75s weekly, according to circumstances, irrespective of a man's earning capacity. He denied that Britain was behind other belligerents in the treatment of disabled soldiers. Already 300,000 women were now to receive the increased pension.

UNFIT MEN'S GRIEVANCE.

Speaking in the House of Commons, Mr. J. M. Hogge complained that men who broke down during training had not received pensions. One hundred thousand men had been enlisted through incompetent medical opinion, and these men were "scrapped" with the maximum gratuity of £100. That was neither British generosity nor justice. He urged that the House should not agree to the vote until the grievances were removed.

CALL TO NATIONAL SERVICE.

LONDON, March 7.

The National Service organisers are arranging for a special rally before the opportunity for voluntary enlistment closes at the end of March. There will be special exhortations from all pulpits on March 24.

[It was recently announced that 100,000 enlistments had been recorded, and 500,000 were required. Mr. Lloyd George indicated, some time ago, that if voluntaryism failed, some other system would be called into operation.]

INDIAN COTTON DUTY.

A STORM OF PROTEST.

LONDON, March 7.

The Lancashire cotton trade unions, representing 400,000 persons, have decided to protest against the Indian Government's proposal to impose a special war duty on imported cotton goods. They will send a deputation to Mr. Austen Chamberlain (Secretary for India). The leading employers' associations have decided to take similar action. Speeches complaining of the raising of the fiscal question have been made. Lancashire members of the House of Commons have called a meeting. Notice has been given of many questions in the House of Commons.

POST-WAR PROBLEMS.

LONDON, March 6.

The Premier received a Labour party deputation conveying the resolutions passed at the Manchester Conference in January, relating to post-war problems, and promised to submit them to the new reconstruction committee.

A RUSSIAN BLOW.

ENEMY EXPECTATIONS.

LONDON, March 7.

The "Berliner Tageblatt" insists that there are colossal military preparations and immense quantities of guns and munitions concentrated on the Russian front. The paper is convinced that all the Russian armies will open a simultaneous offensive shortly. It believes that the Germans and Austrians on the Eastern front will be very sorely tried.

RUSSIAN ATTACKS.

LONDON, March 6.

A German official message states:—We repulsed Russian attacks south of Brzezany, and in the southern part of the wooded Carpathians.

CAPTURED APPAM.

HELD TO BE BRITISH PROPERTY.

WASHINGTON, March 6.

The United States Supreme Court has unanimously sustained the British owners' claim in their suit to regain possession of the steamer Appam.

[The British liner Appam, 7781 tons, was captured by the German raider Moewe off the Canary Islands on January 15, 1916. Lieutenant Berg, with a German prize crew of 22, took the vessel with her crew and passengers and people from seven other captured merchantmen—a total of about 400—to the American port of Newport News. The vessel and prize crew were interned by the American authorities. In demanding the release of the Appam Britain stated that she relied on Articles 21 and 23 of the Hague Convention, which are as follows:—"A prize may only be brought into a neutral port on account of unseaworthiness, stress of weather, or want of fuel or provisions. It must leave as soon as the circumstances which justified this entry are at an end." Germany relied upon the Prusso-American Treaty of 1828, under which Germany and America agreed to admit each other's prizes to their ports. The Germans claimed that this over-rode Articles 21 and 23 of the Hague Convention. The Appam and her cargo were worth £360,000. A minor American Court decided, on July 29, in favour of Britain, but Germany appealed to the Supreme Court, with the result now stated.]

BELGIAN PROVINCES

ACTION BY GERMANY REPUDIATED.

AMSTERDAM, March 6.

Prominent Flemish political leaders in Holland repudiate the traitorous action of the deputation which recently interviewed Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg. They declare that when Flanders is free the so-called Council of Flanders will cease to exist. Dependence on Germany is equivalent to loss of language, as well as economic and hereditary freedom. The Berlin declaration, they say, will merely bring the Belgians and Flemish into closer unity.

[As the result of representations made in Berlin by a pro-German deputation of Flemish, Germany has divided Belgium into two provinces, Flemish (Dutch extraction) and Walloon (French extraction), corresponding generally to the division of the population. The two provinces are to be under a Governor-General, and the whole arrangement under German supervision, as in the case of Poland.]

MONTENEGRO'S KING.

FAITH IN THE FUTURE.

PARIS, March 7.

King Nicholas of Montenegro has sent a message to America through the "New York Times." King Nicholas says: At the moment when the great struggle against a common enemy is about to burst out in all its fury, I greet the United States. I recall the sufferings which my small nation is bearing in silence, but I have an ardent faith in the speedy resurrection of my country, and in its reconstruction as an independent and free state. I have confidence that God will not allow victory to desert us, to crown the diabolical work of our enemies. I believe that your powerful liberty-loving nation will lend my country its sympathy and comfort, like a strong brother toward one younger and weaker. The President's action has greatly revived my hope and faith in the final triumph of justice.

THE FOOD SHORTAGE.

NEW DEPARTMENT.

LONDON, March 7.

The Press Bureau announces that Mr. John W. Dennis has been appointed Director of the potatoes, vegetables, and fruit section of the Ministry of Food. The office is unpaid.

[Mr. Dennis is a director of W. Dennis and Sons, Ltd., and has been prominently associated with agricultural matters. He has held with conspicuous success many public offices.]

CONTROLLER'S INQUIRIES.

The officers of the Ministry of Food are examining the books of some of the Smithfield firms in order to ascertain whether there have been any gambles in meat.

NEW FARM MACHINERY.

The War Council has permitted the Ford Company to erect a factory at Cork for the rapid production of farm motor tractors.

PRICES OF CHEESE.

QUESTIONS IN THE COMMONS.

Mr. Will Thorne asked, in the House of Commons, whether the Government was paying 9½d for New Zealand cheese, though the Dairy Association, in August, offered the entire output at 8½d, and the Government refused the offer; whether the Government was aware that the difference represents a loss of £350,000; whether, as a consequence, Canadian cheese had risen to 156s and English to 160s, while the New Zealand price was 102s; and whether it intends to take action because the Canadian and English manufacturers were getting £50 per ton more.

Mr. G. H. Roberts (Parliamentary Secretary to the Board of Trade) replied that the facts were generally as stated. The price asked in August was so much in excess of that of 1915 that the War Office did not feel justified in accepting it without further negotiations. The purchase of colonial cheese for the army and for civilians was now in the hands of the Board of Trade, which was dealing with the matter in collaboration with the colonial Governments. The Board hoped to take action which would substantially reduce the prices, which were mainly due to the small quantities in the market.

DARDANELLES REPORT.

LONDON, March 7.

The Dardanelles report (the publication of which was delayed to enable certain portions to be deleted, according to the wish of certain foreign Governments) will be issued on Thursday.

Mr. C. E. H. Hobhouse, Sir Richard Essex, and others have given notice of a motion that the Dardanelles report should be presented to Parliament, as required by law, and should be accessible to all members of Parliament.

General Sir William Birdwood gave evidence before the Dardanelles Commission to-day.

IRISH HOME RULE.

EFFORT TO SETTLE PROBLEM

SPECIAL COMMISSION SUGGESTED.

LONDON, March 6.

The Labour's party executive has adopted a resolution urging that a further united effort be made to secure a settlement of the Irish question, in the interests of both countries.

Mr. T. P. O'Connor's motion will be debated in the House of Commons on Wednesday. Mr. Lloyd George is suffering from a cold, and probably will not be able to participate in the debate.

The "Daily Chronicle's" Parliamentary correspondent expects that Mr. Redmond will speak in the Irish debate, in spite of influenza. The Nationalists are not very hopeful concerning the Government's intentions. There will be widespread disappointment at a policy of blank negation, which would react unfavourably on American opinion in these critical days.

If the Government appointed a special commission to bring in the Home Rule Act, with proper safeguards for the minority, such a decision would receive widespread approval. The commission might include Judges of the High Court, financial experts, and dominions' statesmen now in London.

The Central News Agency confirms these rumours. It says that two plans have been suggested—a commission or an Imperial Conference. But, as it is already understood that Ireland is beyond the scope of the conference, it is believed that a compromise will be found by including dominion statesmen on a commission.

[The motion moved in the House of Commons by Mr. T. P. O'Connor was:—"That for the purpose of strengthening the hands of the Allies in achieving recognition of the equal rights of small nations against the German principle of military domination, and of government without the consent of the governed, it is essential to confer Home Rule on Ireland without delay."]

ITALIANS ATTACKED

LONDON, March 6.

An Italian official message says:—We repulsed repeated attacks in the Costabella sector, capturing one gun. We drove off the enemy with heavy losses in renewed attacks south-east of Vertoiba on the Julian front.

UNITED STATES TRAITOR.

NEW YORK, March 6.

A private in the Minnesota National Guard has been sentenced to five years' imprisonment for furnishing military information to Germany.

THREE GERMAN PRINCES

HOLDERS OF BRITISH TITLES.

LONDON, March 6.

In the House of Lords, Lord Finlay (Lord Chancellor) introduced a bill to deprive enemy princes of their British titles.

[In the House of Commons on July 27, Mr. Asquith announced that the King had been advised to take steps regarding the honours held by the Duke of Cumberland, the Duke of Albany, and Prince Albert of Schleswig-Holstein. The Duke of Cumberland is a son of the German King of Hanover, to which family the English Royal Family is closely related. The present duke was a cousin of Queen Victoria. He is entitled to sit in the House of Lords. The Duke of Albany is a grandson of the late Queen Victoria, and a son of Prince Leopold. He became in 1900 (when 16 years old), by the death of his uncle, the Duke of Edinburgh, the reigning Duke of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha. He is entitled to sit in the House of Lords. Prince Albert of Schleswig-Holstein is the eldest surviving son of Princess Christian (third daughter of Queen Victoria), who married Prince Christian of Schleswig Holstein in 1866.]

MILITARY SERVICE IN AUSTRALIA.

LONDON, March 6.

The Paris newspapers give prominence to Mr. Hughes's reply to M. Briand's letter regarding compulsory service in Australia.

TEXT OF THE LETTER.

The letter referred to is as follows:—

"My Dear Prime Minister,—I have the honour, although rather belatedly, to express to you my sincere thanks for the prompt and kindly aid that you gave us during the recent referendum for compulsory national service. As you know, the electors rejected the proposal by a very small majority in a record poll. I feel we owe very much to your inspiring message, which was received by the people of Australia with enthusiasm and pleasure. I shall always be mindful that amidst the herculean labours and crushing responsibility imposed upon you as the man chosen to guide France through this most difficult crisis in her history you found time to help Australia to tread the stern but glorious path of duty.

"On behalf of the people of Australia let me express, M. Le Premier Ministre, our profound admiration of the manner in which France is comporting herself in this great struggle, and say how much the valour and heroism of the French people have inspired and helped us.

"In the hope that heaven will give you strength and health to continue to the end, and that we may once more meet again when the dust of conflict shall have disappeared, and when the Allies, triumphant on the field of battle, shall have made possible that lasting peace for which the world so intensely yearns, please accept, M. Le Premier Ministre, the high esteem with which I have the honour to be Your humble Servant."

BREWERS SEEK HELP.

LONDON, March 7.

The "Daily Chronicle" says that the brewers have suggested that the Government should take over their industry on the same terms as the railways, enabling them to guarantee dividends, and also a normal resumption of brewing after the war. The Government is not likely to take action.

BRITAIN'S REVENUE.

LONDON, March 7.

The Treasury returns for 11 months indicate that the estimate of the revenue for the year, £502,000,000, will be exceeded by £20,000,000.

A FIGHTING FAMILY.

FATHER, BROTHERS, AND SON.

Official information has been received by Mrs. Green, of 43 Gould-street, city, that her eldest son, Private Jack Green, of the 13th Battalion, was killed in action in France on February 6, and that her husband, Private Cecil Claude (Goodie) Green is in hospital suffering from trench fever.

Private Jack Green, who was only 17½ years of age, was a cinematograph operator when he enlisted. He left Sydney six months ago, and had only been a fortnight in the firing line when he was killed.

His father, Private C. C. Green, has two brothers at the front, Private Harold F. Green, who was wounded some time ago, and is now back again in the trenches, and Private Herbert Green.

D.C.M.

NARRABRI, Wednesday.

Private R. A. Grace, of Boliena, has been awarded the D.C.M.

PRICE OF TALLOW.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

By notice in the "Commonwealth Government Gazette" to-day under the War Precautions Act, Senator Pearce declared tallow to be a necessary commodity, and fixed the maximum price in any of the States at £30 a ton.

WAR NOTES.

FIGHTING ON VARIOUS FRONTS.

Although military operations are reported from various fronts this morning they reveal no startling developments. The Italians have retained their grip on the Alpine position, which they had previously captured in the Costabella group, on the Trentino front, in spite of repeated Austrian attempts to regain possession of it. Away round near the Carso they stopped Austrian attacks near Vertoiba, south-east of Gorizia, inflicting heavy punishment on the attackers. The Germans refer to unsuccessful Russian attacks near Brzezany, south-east of Lemberg, and in the wooded Carpathians, down towards the Roumanian front. The Russians, however, have engaged in more important fighting than this in Persia, where they are following up their previously announced successes near Hamadan and Bijar. They have already pushed on some distance south-west of Hamadan, and passed Assadabad. It is possible that we may shortly hear of their again advancing in the direction of Kermanshah. Even when they arrive at that point, however, they will still be over 160 miles from Bagdad. On the Western front the French to the north-east of Verdun remain in much the same position as they were yesterday between Chambrettes Farm and Bezonvaux, but the violent artillery actions, which continue along that short sector east of the Meuse, suggest that we may not yet have heard the last of the German attacks on Caurieres Wood. North of the Ancre progress has been made by the British at two points, but this does not appear to have been very extensive. It would seem as if the enemy had called a halt on the Bucquoy and Bapaume ridges, at least for the time being.

AUSTRIA'S SUBMARINE POLICY.

Austria's reply to the United States on the question of the unrestricted submarine policy of the Central Powers will not cause surprise. It was only to be expected that she should concur in the attitude adopted by Germany, since the whole policy of the Central Alliance is dictated from Berlin. Her delay in making clear her views on the subject, and the somewhat mild phrasing of her Note, may be taken to indicate that she does not desire a rupture with the United States at present. This may be attributed to the influence of the new Emperor, who, while not so openly antagonistic to German interference as rumour has suggested him to be, evidently desires to avoid creating new enemies. Germany stands to lose nothing by the continuance of diplomatic relations between Austria and the United States, and no doubt agreed to the insertion of the somewhat vague offer of "co-operation to protect lives by warning Americans." The Note is not likely to have a very great effect upon the United States, especially in view of the Senate minority's refusal to grant President Wilson the powers he asked for in connection with the arming of merchantmen, and the protection of American lives and interests. These powers and precautions are necessary in view of the German submarine menace. If the President decides to take them, and American merchantmen are armed, the gun crews are not likely to wait and ask an attacking submarine whether she is manned by Austrians or Germans. As both German and Austrian under-water craft operate in the Mediterranean, American armed merchantmen entering those waters would sooner or later cause a break with Austria.

ENEMY FEARS REGARDING RUSSIA.

While it may be true that Russia hopes to gain much from a successful conclusion of the war, it cannot be said that she has hesitated to shoulder a big share of the burden which it has entailed. The trend of political affairs may have caused the Allies to view her attitude with feelings of alarm at times, and doubts may also have been entertained during the retreat from Poland. But the Russian soldier has proved his worth on many fields since then, while General Brussiloff has shown that sweeping drives and huge hauls of prisoners can be effected by the Russian as well as by the German armies, providing the necessary munitions are obtainable. This is the factor upon which will depend the operations on the eastern front during the coming spring. It is a factor in regard to which the Central Powers made a serious miscalculation last year, and the "Berliner Tageblatt's" story regarding the possibility of early simultaneous Russian offensives in the East may have been prompted by the fear of a repetition of this error. General Brussiloff, by accumulating a head of shell for his offensive in Galicia and Volhynia, was able to spring a surprise on the Austrians, who had been told that Russia could not possibly recover from her earlier reverses, and that a Russian offensive last year was out of the question. We can take it for granted that Russia has done much to overcome the difficulty of obtaining munitions, but the future only will show whether she is in as favourable a position in this respect as the "Berliner Tageblatt" seems to fear.

GERMANY AND THE FLEMINGS.

The repudiation by the Flemish political leaders of the so-called Flemish deputation which recently waited upon the German Imperial Chancellor is proof of the oft-repeated assertion that the Flemish movement is not, as Germany would have us believe, the outward and visible expression of a desire on the part of the Flemish people to become attached to Germany. By all the means at their disposal the Germans have endeavoured to make capital out of the differences existing between the Flemings and the Walloons. German propaganda has been directed towards spreading the belief amongst neutrals and others that no such thing as a united Belgian nation was possible, and that the differences in language, culture, and interests prevented the fusion of the two groups. The only solution of the Belgian problem from the German point of view was that the Walloons should be attached to France and the Flemish group should return to the German fold. "Germany cannot," said the Imperial Chancellor in April last, "abandon to Latin influence the Flemish people, which has for so long been brought under subjection." This benevolent offer is not appreciated by the Flemish political leaders, who, according to the Amsterdam message published this morning, recognise that "dependence on Germany would be equivalent to the loss of language as well as of economic and hereditary freedom."

WOOING THE LEADERS.

This is not the first occasion on which the Flemish political leaders in Holland have had to come forward and deny German misrepresentation regarding the true feelings of the majority of the Flemish people. Germany has gone to great pains to provoke a division between the Flemings and Walloons since she first occupied Belgium. Articles and pamphlets intended to create discord amongst the two groups have been regularly published, and efforts made to stir up strife between them. Referring to this underground work on the part of the Germans, which struck at "the very roots of Belgian national life," Fernand Passelecq, in an article published in the October issue of the "Nineteenth Century," and now issued in pamphlet form, a copy of which has just been received from the Belgian consul, says:—"For one short instant, about July, 1915, Germany thought that she had reached her aim, and her press was already beginning to congratulate itself on the result of the manoeuvre. But her illusion was short-lived. The leaders of the Flemish movement, who had sought refuge in Holland, in order to dissipate the misunderstandings caused by German propaganda, published a manifesto (July 21, 1915), in which they renewed solemnly the patriotic pledge of the Flemings to Belgium. Their colleagues, who had remained in Belgium, signed a similar declaration. Germany, however, was not yet discouraged. . . . Having collected one by one all the demands of the Flemish movement, she declared herself ready to satisfy them. . . . The Flemings, however, did not fall into this new snare. By all the means at their disposal they have shown that they will accept no gift from their enemy and oppressor, not even the realisation of their dearest wishes."

LATE WAR NEWS.

JUTLAND BATTLE STORY.

THE END OF THE SHARK.

A BRAVE COMMANDER.

LONDON, March 7.

The full account of the loss of the destroyer Shark (which took a prominent part in the Jutland battle) from the survivors shows that when the Shark was nearing her end ten German destroyers and light cruisers came up and opened fire at 600 yards. When Commander Jones's leg was blown off two seamen ran up with wood and rope to stop the bleeding. Commander Jones asked them to leave him. They replied: "We must do it for your good, sir." While the seamen adjusted a tourniquet, Commander Jones sat on the deck. Suddenly he asked: "What is wrong with the ensign?" A seaman replied, "It's shot down, sir." Commander Jones replied: "Hoist another, midshipman." The seaman obeyed and the captain remarked, "That's good," and seemed content thereafter. When the Shark sank the survivors found a raft and hauled Commander Jones aboard.

LESS TONNAGE FOR WOOL.

LONDON, March 7.

Mr. H. W. Forster (Financial Secretary to the War Office) states that the Shipping Controller proposes to facilitate wool imports for military and export purposes, but not for unessential home consumption. It is expected that the tonnage needed for Australian food will appreciably reduce the wool shipments. It is pointed out that other raw materials—for example, timber and jute—have already suffered similarly.

INDIGNANT AMERICANS.

NEW YORK, March 6.

The action of the German newspapers in lauding the action of the Senate minority in holding up the Armed Neutrality Bill has heightened the anger of Americans towards the Senators responsible.

RECRUITING.

UTILISING PARLIAMENTARY SPEAKERS.

APPEAL TO CANDIDATES.

The chairman of the State Recruiting Committee states that accepting the fact of the Commonwealth Federal election it is thought advisable to try and make the election turn to the advantage of recruiting.

With this object in view the Director-General announced yesterday that he intended to make a request to every candidate who was standing for election to speak on every platform in favour of the present voluntary recruiting movement.

He regards the maintenance of reinforcements and the support of the British cause as points on which all Australians are unanimous, and the most important object of human energy at the present time.

LIGHT HORSE.

"There is still room for a considerable number of men in the Light Horse," said Professor Macintyre (chairman of the State Recruiting Committee) yesterday, "and those intending to enlist in this corps should apply at once to the nearest recruiting officer, or at Victoria Barracks. It would be a good plan if some country district would arrange to raise a reinforcement unit of 33 men. If so, these would go into camp together, and be trained together. If any district is prepared to undertake this, communications should be sent at once to the organising secretary, Moore-street, city."

AT THE BARRACKS.

There were 58 volunteers at Victoria Barracks on Tuesday. Thirty-four were accepted, and 24 deferred.

TRENCH MORTAR BATTERIES.

RECRUITS WANTED.

A selection for the Trench Motar Batteries will be made at Victoria Barracks at 2.30 p.m. to-day.

A selection for the Field Artillery will be made at the Barracks at 2.30 p.m. to-morrow. Two hundred men are required for each unit. It is hoped that many will present themselves for enlistment.

MEETING IN WAREHOUSE.

A successful Win the War League meeting was conducted at the warehouse of John Keep and Sons, Clarence-street. Mr. Leonard Keep took the chair, and introduced the speakers. Lieutenant Macqueen outlined the Win the War League, also impressed on those present the need for reinforcements.

Mr. K. Murray made an appeal for recruits, and several promised to enlist later.

CYCLISTS' CORPS.

A fresh number of recruits for the Cyclists' Corps will gather at the recruiting headquarters, Moore-street, to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock. They will be met there by the chairman of the Recruiting Committee (Mr. H. Y. Braddon) and others. The cyclists will then march in a body to Victoria Barracks for medical examination and enlistment.

SPORTSMEN'S UNIT.

At a meeting of the Sportsmen's Branch of the State Recruiting Committee at Tattersall's Club yesterday, Mr. H. Y. Braddon presiding, it was reported that good progress had been made with the preliminary work of organising the Sportsmen's Unit, and that the two gentlemen entrusted with the scheme had it well in hand. The hope was unanimously expressed that the scheme would soon reach completion, as much interest was being taken in it throughout both the city and country. It was explained that as soon as certain matters had been finally approved there was nothing to stop the work being gone on with. It would be a personal appeal to come to, and not to go to, the war, and success was assured, as it had behind it the support of the whole of the sporting bodies of New South Wales.

RECRUITS REQUIRED FOR A.M.C.

Thirty-five recruits will be taken on as reinforcements for the A.M.C. this month. Applicants, who must possess some special qualifications for the work, are requested to report at the office of the principal medical officer, Victoria Barracks, at 10 a.m. on Friday, 9th instant.

TO-DAY'S MEETINGS.

Martin-place, 12.30 p.m.—Speakers: Sergeant M'Kenzie, Mr. Maxwell (from Victoria), Sergeant Saunders.

Strathfield, Melba Pictures, 8 p.m.—"Why Britain Went to War." Speaker, Sergeant M'Kenzie.

Paddington Town Hall, 8 p.m.—Win the War League, meeting to extend committee. Ladies specially invited.

IN OTHER STATES.

ADELAIDE, Wednesday.

On Wednesday 25 men were examined, and 20 were accepted.

BRISBANE, Wednesday.

There were 16 volunteers to-day, and 12 were accepted.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

Of 44 men who offered their services to-day 26 were passed.

FEDERAL CRISIS.

DATE OF ELECTIONS.

SEAT FOR MR. HUGHES.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

It may be regarded as practically certain that the Federal elections for both Houses will be held on May 5.

The Prime Minister (Mr. Hughes) is expected to make an announcement on this point to-morrow afternoon.

The various parties are already hard at work on the preliminary preparations for the campaign, and the names of possible candidates other than those already in Parliament are being freely canvassed.

The most interesting feature, so far as the nomination of candidates is concerned, is the uncertainty surrounding the intentions of the Prime Minister (Mr. Hughes). The seat which he now holds—West Sydney—is denied him. It is generally recognised that the caucus nominee in that electorate cannot be seriously opposed. Another constituency has, therefore, to be found for Mr. Hughes. A number of electorates have been mentioned, but there is good reason to believe that his final choice will fall on Boothby (S.A.). This seat is at present held by Mr. Dankel, who was elected as a member of the old Labour party, and when the split occurred left the caucus to follow Mr. Hughes. Mr. Dankel was born in territory which is now part of the German Empire, and his position as a possible candidate at the coming elections is affected by the legislation of which Mr. Hughes gave notice on Tuesday to prohibit persons of enemy origin, whether naturalised or not, from voting. Even if no such measure is passed by Parliament it is still possible that Mr. Dankel may withdraw in favour of Mr. Hughes.

Mr. Stumm, the Liberal member for Lilley (Q.), has decided finally to withdraw from Federal politics, and his name will not be submitted to the electors at the coming poll.

WEST SYDNEY SEAT.

The waterside workers, at the conclusion of a stop-work meeting held at the Town Hall yesterday for the purpose of considering the new log which will be submitted to the Federal Arbitration Court shortly, passed the following resolution:—"That this union has confidence in its president, Mr. T. W. M'Cristal, and, realising that only a working-man from the union's ranks can know its grievances in Parliament, and since Mr. Hughes now no longer represents the union, we nominate and endorse his candidature for the West Sydney seat in the House of Representatives, and urge all kindred unions in the electorate to help secure his return."

QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, Wednesday.

Though the announcement has been made in the Federal Parliament that the Federal election will be held immediately, it is difficult to see how it can be held before the middle of May, at the earliest.

The rolls have to be printed, arrangements made with most distant towns, and delay must be caused in Queensland by the State local option poll, which must be taken on the same day. This year, in addition to the Federal rolls, the Government Printing Office will have to print several hundreds of thousands of local option referendum ballot papers, which will necessarily delay the work or add to the undue rush. The last reprint of the Federal rolls was made in September, prior to the conscription campaign, but since that time there have been over 77,000 alterations in Queensland. At the end of January the number of names on the revised rolls was, in round figures, 372,000, and before the date of the issue of the writ there will doubtless be many thousands more. The rolls and ballot papers must be printed in sufficient time to enable them to be despatched to the more distant electorates before election day. To get these delivered is not an easy task in a season when the mail services are so disorganised by floods as they have been in Queensland during the last few months.

The most confusing factor in this State will be the local option referendum, about which even the Home Secretary appears to be somewhat uncertain, or, at all events, undecided. The Queensland Liquor Act provides that the first local option poll shall be taken on the day of the next Senate election.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

ADELAIDE, Wednesday.

The announcement of an early Federal election has not come as a surprise to the political leaders of this State, and has not found rival parties unprepared. The official Labour party has its nominees, and one of the selected candidates, Mr. F. W. Lundie (president of the A.W.U.), has already gone to the far north to begin his campaign. Mr. Hume Cook (organising secretary of the National Federation) is in Adelaide in connection with the formation of the South Australian branch of that organisation, and hints at the possibility of an arrangement between the federation and the local Liberals. It is understood, however, that the Liberal party will decide upon no definite plan of campaign until the executive has had an opportunity of conferring with the leaders of the party and the Federal Government.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

PERTH, Wednesday.

The Labour Federation has decided to extend the nominations for the Federal selection ballots, which should have closed yesterday, to March 20, but Mr. Mahon's nomination for Kalgoorlie being the only one received, it was endorsed.

The Federal rolls on February 28 showed 170,000 electors. When the referendum was taken in October the number was 167,000.

LABOUR MINISTERS.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

A meeting of the Labour section of the Ministerial supporters was held yesterday. Mr. Hughes was only present for a few minutes, but the members of the party remained together a considerable time, and discussed informally the coming elections, and the machinery to be used to conduct them in the various States. It was generally recognised that the position was an extremely delicate one, for beyond the National Federation, the Labour Ministerial supporters have no organisation behind them in any of the eastern States. It is obvious that the two parties could only go to the country as joint supporters of one Ministry, if the most complete understanding existed between them, and it is probable that a conference between managers of two sections of the Ministerial party will be held during the next day or two, and that a joint meeting of both parties will follow.

FLOODS IN QUEENSLAND.

TRAIN SERVICES SUSPENDED.

BRISBANE, Wednesday.

The Railway Department has received several additional telegrams respecting the disorganisation of the traffic on the railways caused through floods. A message from Townsville despatched on Tuesday afternoon stated that the water was now 18in below the rails on the Inkerman bridge, which was recently destroyed by floods. A message from the south-west states that the water in the Bulloo River on Tuesday was 5ft 6in over the rails of the deviation. It was still raining at Charleville when the message was despatched. The water in the Bulloo River was also 9 inches over the deviation at Quilpil. It is reported that 6 inches of rain had fallen at Adavale.

The Deputy Commissioner at Rockhampton advised on Tuesday afternoon that the water was 2ft over the bridge at Retreat Creek, and also over the rails at other places. As it was necessary to transport mails and passengers at some places by boat, the train service on the Blair Athol line was suspended on Tuesday. The train service between Blackwall and Emmett had been cancelled on Tuesday.

BARCALDINE, Wednesday.

Mr. Laidlaw, manager at Lyndon, reported yesterday that an extraordinary downpour of rain had occurred there, 17 inches having fallen in four hours on Friday, while the phenomenal total of 21.60 inches was recorded for Friday and Saturday. All creeks are high, and the locality is flooded.

BRISBANE, Wednesday.

The Brisbane Railway Department received several telegrams from Northern, Central, and South-western divisions, announcing dislocation of train services because of heavy rains. A message from Townsville stated water is over the rails in several places on the Cloncurry line to a depth of 18in. It was not expected when the message was despatched that trains would be able to get through to Cloncurry to-day. In Central district the water was 15 inches over the rails at Theresa Creek, near Clermont, and was rising fast.

The Bulloo River was reported to be 5ft over deviation, and was still rising.

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THE ELECTIONS.

PREMIER AT FORBES.

QUESTION FOR P.L.L. CANDIDATES.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL REPORTER.)

FORBES, Wednesday.

At Bathurst on Tuesday night it was only after Mr. Holman had begun to place his arguments before them that the political gathering he was addressing swung in a body over to his way of thinking. At Forbes to-night the big meeting assembled in the Town Hall was with him right from the start. The enthusiasm was demonstrative. The crowd not only filled the main hall, but overflowed into the adjoining corridors and court yard.

Mr. Holman explained that the National party of New South Wales was a State party, having no connection with the Federal National party. Certainly it was true that recently a National party had been formed in the Federal arena, but the State party was in no way responsible for that. It had not even been consulted. The State party stood or fell on its own merits. On various platforms he was assailed by interrogations as to the meaning of what Senator Pearce, Senator Lynch, or Sir William Irvine was saying or doing. He wanted it clearly known that he and his State party had no connection with the Federal body. Referring to a speech made by the selected Labour candidate (Mr. Lynch) Mr. Holman remarked that the gentleman had alluded to the slaughter yards of Europe and alleged that those who endorsed conscription had bloodstains on their fingers. Such claptrap could only issue from the mouth of a man bankrupt of ideas.

A voice: I repeat that conscriptionists have blood on their hands.

Mr. Holman: What then becomes of Mr. J. Storey, the leader of the Labour party? As a member of the Recruiting Committee of New South Wales he is endeavouring to get hundreds of men to go to the front. Has he less blood on his hands than a conscriptionist? The Premier a little later suggested the putting of a pertinent question to the various candidates standing in the interest of the official Labour party. Like others in the same cause Mr. Lynch was making certain pledges from platforms in this electorate. If his party some time in the future condemned those pledges what would he say or do? He would either have to break his pledges or do the same as he (Mr. Holman) did—get out of the movement. (Applause.) Never before in the history of the Labour movement had anything of this kind been possible.

Dealing with the question of arbitration, the Premier pointed out that for the first 15 years of its existence the Labour party had a definite clear-cut policy to abolish strikes and substitute arbitration. The cry was that the weapon of reason should replace the weapon of force; but those who had been closely connected with the movement during the past seven years were painfully aware of the fact that now there were two voices in the movement. Until lately at all events the Shearers' Union always supported arbitration. On the other hand the coalminers around Newcastle and Maitland had 656 separate strikes in five years. (Cries of "Shame.") The National party proposed to allow unions either to strike or have recourse to the Arbitration Court, but a secret ballot of the members of the union must first be taken, and three weeks must be allowed to lapse.

THE NATIONAL CANDIDATE.

The selected National candidate, Mr. Arthur Grimm, was also accorded a hearty reception. He stated plainly that should any party with which he became connected attempt to reverse the judgment of the people in regard to conscription he would resign his seat. However, he had no fear on that score.

GRANVILLE.

Mr. Walter Duncan the Granville Nationalist candidate, is carrying on a vigorous campaign. He is receiving support from many electors who were previously identified with the Political Labour League, and it is confidently expected that he will win the seat back from the Labour party.

PREMIER'S ITINERARY.

The Premier will speak at the following places in prosecution of the National campaign:—Thursday, Young; Friday, Harden; Saturday, Bethungra and Cootamundra.

LABOUR NOMINEES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—What "Working Man" has drawn attention to has been in the minds of a number of thoughtful Labourites for the last few years, who are at last beginning to think hard. It is beginning to get apparent that gentlemen with Irish names have one grand object in view: to capture the States and Commonwealth political power, and with that power to have all the appointments to the Government service for O'Rafferty and Co., and the Labour forces are being used for that purpose. One of your correspondents deplores the lifting of the ugly head of sectarianism by "Working Man," but he evidently does not know that sectarianism is rampant in Labour circles, but all one side, by that clique who are secretly working for the objects mentioned above. If it came to the point Labour would be a secondary consideration with them. It is about time that unionists attended their meetings and broke up this clique, and see that Labour is represented by true Labour men, without any of the old-world prejudices rankling in their minds. I am, etc.,

Feb. 26. A DISGUSTED LABOURITE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I would like to reply to "Working Man," whose letter appeared in Wednesday's "Herald." He asks why nearly all the Labour candidates for Parliament are Irishmen. As "Working Man" has evidently been in the State a very short period it is now time he learned that the members of the official Labour leagues and unions are mainly composed of Irish Roman Catholics. A great majority of the secretaries and officers are also Irishmen. Hence it is a matter of little difficulty to secure an Irish Roman Catholic as the Labour Parliamentary candidate. The reason why this state of affairs exists is because the Roman Catholic priests are desirous of obtaining Government money for their increasingly numerous Roman Catholic schools. To further this aim all Catholics of voting age are now banded into the Catholic Federation. Every conference of the official Labour League now has its motions for State money to Roman Catholic schools. The Irish in New South Wales are one-fourth of the population, and theirs is a solid block vote. The Catholic convent schools are growing up like mushrooms all over the country, and as the influence of the priests is growing stronger every day, probably "Working Man" will soon be privileged to pay his taxes to support Roman Catholic schools. The above in a few words answers "Working Man's" question. I am, etc.,

Feb. 22. ANOTHER WORKING MAN.

SOLDIERS' VOTES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—As it is impossible for our soldiers oversea to record their votes at the coming elections, it is very necessary that precautions should be taken against their being impersonated at the polling booths. The I.W.W. for obvious reasons will be publicly repudiated by Labour candidates, but it goes without saying that the unscrupulous tactics of that body will be employed by many outside its avowed membership, and the large number of soldier-electors' names on the rolls will offer a tempting opportunity to the impersonator. We may even find after the election that soldiers who have made the greatest sacrifice of all have nevertheless voted. I would suggest that supporters of the National Government should make it a matter of personal duty to supply the local committee in his or her electorate with the name and qualification of every soldier relation or acquaintance who is absent, and whose name is likely to be on the roll, so that the scrutineers on polling day will be in a position to challenge and frustrate any attempt in this direction. I am, etc.,

FOREWARNED.

REDUCING PARLIAMENT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Why does "Protestant Catholic," instead of seeing the spectre of "Rome," "The Jesuits," and "Eating the Babies," not try to organise so that candidates for election should be asked:—(1) Are you in favour of the reduction of the number of members of Parliament, say, to 30? (2) Are you in favour of bringing the payment of the aforesaid members back to £300, or reducing it to a less sum, in place of the £500 a year they gave themselves? (3) Will you pledge yourself to unite with other members of Parliament (if elected) to carry these reforms into operation?

If these questions are answered honourably, and the pledge given observed faithfully, we will, at least, have started on fair government. I am, etc.,

ARTHUR ADAMS.

STADIUMS.

THEIR INFLUENCE ON RECRUITING.

MR. R. L. BAKER'S VIEWS.

Mr. R. L. Baker, of the Sydney Stadium, was invited yesterday to express his views in regard to the resolution passed at the annual congress of the Returned Sailors and Soldiers' Imperial League of Australia, that the Prime Minister should be requested to take into consideration the immmediate closing of all stadiums and racecourses, believing that by so doing he would materially assist recruiting.

"I have gone into this matter very thoroughly," said Mr. Baker, "more thoroughly, I think, than most people, being so closely connected with it, and I can conscientiously state that I cannot see that sport is in any way interfering with recruiting. I do not think for a moment that any men in making up their minds whether they are going to the front or not are influenced at all in their decision by the fact that they attend boxing contests, race meetings, picture shows, or theatres. While we know that a large number of people attend racecourses and boxing contests, great numbers also attend picture shows, theatres, and other amusements, and I think that they are all in exactly the same line. In England, the centre of the war, boxing has not been interfered with—on the contrary, the National Sporting Club and the military authorities have, since the outbreak of war, encouraged an increase in boxing, with the result that there are more boxing contests in London to-day than there were prior to the war. The 'Sportsman,' which is the leading sporting paper in England, proved this.

"I feel sure that people recognise that Stadiums, Ltd., and the prominent racing clubs have done all in their power to assist recruiting," added Mr. Baker. "I have never relaxed my efforts in this direction. As regards boxers, I think that a greater proportion of them have enlisted than those engaged in any other sport. The boxers who remain here are either very young—16 or 17—or they are married or have family obligations, which prevent them going to the war. I know the circumstances of all the boxers here, and, although they do not proclaim it from the housetops, I know what I have said to be a fact. Darcy was the only important boxer who had not obligations to keep him here. The minor competitions that I am running are all for boys, of about 16 or 17 years old, and I specially state that the competitors must be ineligible for military service on account of age. Thus it is only young boys, below the military age, who are receiving encouragement in regard to boxing.

"I am honestly of opinion that if boxing was stopped not one recruit would be gained thereby. It is a form of entertainment, and Australians have a natural instinct for it. We are British, and all Britons like a boxing entertainment conducted under the best conditions, and I believe that there is no part of the world where they are conducted under better conditions than in Australia. I would like further to point out that the fact of people being at the Stadium does not necessarily mean that they are eligible to enlist—many of the spectators have sons and brothers at the war, or have family obligations, or other reasons, which prevent them going themselves. Furthermore, the enormous falling off in the attendance at the Stadium is proof that a very large number of those who were interested in boxing have left Australia in the service of the Empire. We used to have 17,000 people at the Stadium, but the attendance has fallen off to the extent of 75 per cent. Many of the heroes of Gallipoli were men who came here regularly every Saturday—we are a sporting nation."

Mr. Baker added that the Staudims, like the race clubs, had assisted materially in raising money for patriotic and charitable entertainments. Directly and indirectly the Stadiums had raised considerably over £20,000 since the outbreak of war, whilst recruiting rallies at Sydney, Melbourne, and Brisbane had met with considerable success.

LESSON FOR THE SHIRKER.

SOLDIER'S APPEAL.

The following extracts are from letters written by Private M. C. Ivan Levy to Mrs. Levy, who resides at Parramatta:—

November 16, 1916.—Within four miles or so men—our enemies it is true—but still men like ourselves, are being rent and pounded, as only high explosive shells can perform that operation, to pieces, by the demons sent into the German lines by our guns, which, report has it, are massed here in numbers never heard of before in any battle. On the other hand, our own fellow countrymen are being obliterated or maimed by the products of Krupp's genius.

And yet there are men willing to live, willing to enjoy the privileges we Australians claim as our own, who refuse to put their "shoulder to the wheel" and throw off this horror that has settled on our shoulders. I need not tell you I am disgusted with the referendum returns.

November 26, 1916.—The family who owned our "office," however, made stockings. They had a machine worked by hand, which turned out "bas" at a rate much quicker than a hand knitter could. With ordinary going a person could make eight pairs a day, for which the remuneration was six sous a pair. Just imagine one of our trade-union-loving Australians giving his day's energy for 2s. His or her hair would stand on end if such a wage was even suggested as a fair remuneration for his services. The disgust of the Australian, however, could never have equalled the amazement displayed by the French when they heard the rates of wages in Australia. Like every other foreigner, they think our place must be enormously rich, and its conditions of life and labour most desirable. So it is, too; yet there are plenty who are afraid to risk their skins to keep it safe and sound for ourselves and our children.

December 2, 1916.—All, as far as the eye can reach, is bleak, desolate waste of mud, slush, and shell holes, across which pass without cessation streams of transport and khaki-clad men. Numbers of these, unfortunately, will find their "last brown blanket" in the mud.

If some of the intelligent voters in the recent referendum could but see what active service, especially for the infantry, really is, they would clamour for a new referendum which would give quite a different verdict. A day with the infantry in the trenches would make even the silliest, least patriotic, or humane person howl for conscription, or anything else which would finish the war. As it is, the voters at home, either through ignorance or perversity, have voted "No," and thereby have betrayed us, who have come to fight Australia's battles in another land.

"STATE CONSCRIPTION."

A P.L.L. SUGGESTION.

Speaking at a meeting held in Pyrmont in support of Messrs. Cochran, M.L.A., and J. W. Doyle, last night, Mr. S. A. Rosa, a member of the P.L.L. executive, asserted that it was possible to have conscription in New South Wales alone.

If the electors gave Mr. Holman a majority, he proceeded, they would soon find that conscription was very much alive. He explained that under certain sections of the Commonwealth Constitution it was within the province of the State Parliament to deal with legislation that had not come under the review of the Federal Parliament. The Legislative Assembly could pass an Act dealing with compulsory enlistment, and refer the measure to the Federal Parliament. The Federal Parliament then had power to make conscription by enactment applicable and effective in the State of New South Wales.

MALTESE ESCAPE.

On Tuesday morning four Maltese escaped from the hulk Anglian, which is lying in Berry's Bay. The men left the hulk by diving overboard while fully dressed. They had to swim thirty yards to the shore. The escapees then went into the scrub at Ball's Head, where they dried their clothes. The North Sydney police were notified of the escape, and two of the Maltese were eventually recaptured.

ALLEGED FALSE PRETENCES.

BERRIGAN, Wednesday.

Two farmers, John Schier, senior, and John Schier, junior, appeared before the Finley police court charged with falsely pretending that 300 bags delivered to Dalgety and Co., the agents for his Majesty the King, contained good wheat of marketable value, by means of which they attempted unlawfully to obtain £75, with intent to defraud; whereas the bags contained a mixture composed partly of wheat but chiefly of dirt and other deleterious matter.

Defendants were remanded.

SOLDIER SETTLEMENTS.

LAW TO BE AMENDED.

It was officially stated yesterday that the Prime Minister has been in communication with the Premier respecting the case of a soldier discharged from the A.I.F. as being unfit for military service who applied for an allotment of land set apart for returned soldiers. This particular application could not be granted under the existing law, as he had not been outside Australia. The Returned Soldiers' Settlement Act is very clear, and provides that a discharged soldier means one who—

(a) Has served outside the Commonwealth in connection with the said war; and

(b) Has returned to this State and has received his discharge from service either before or after his return to this State.

Mr. Holman announces that it is proposed to amend the law in some respects to enable claims such as the one in question to receive consideration.

COUNTRY NEWS.

QUARTER SESSIONS

COONAMBLE, Wednesday.

The Quarter Sessions, before Acting Judge Coyle, concluded on Tuesday. William Maher charged with marrying a girl knowing her to be under age, and Christina Maher, formerly Wright, charged with making a false declaration at the time of the marriage, were both bound over to appear for trial when called upon, within two years.

John E. Piggott pleaded guilty to receiving £2, knowing it to have been stolen, and was sentenced to six months' imprisonment at Goulburn.

E. J. Evans and Harold J. Downey were found guilty of stealing from the person of Donald Cochrane, and were each sentenced to nine months in Goulburn Gaol, with hard labour.

May M'Vicar pleaded guilty to stealing £20, and also £2, the property of Walter Bassett, and was bound over to appear for sentence if called upon within 12 months. Ernest M'Vicar was found not guilty on a charge of receiving money from his wife, knowing the same to have been stolen.

BERRIGAN, Wednesday.

The Berrigan Shire Council has received a communication from the Victorian Railway Commissioners, stating that they cannot accede to the request to continue the 4 p.m. train to Numurkah on to Tocumwal. The Commissioners consider the present service between Numurkah and Tocumwal the most suitable and convenient, and also sufficient for the business offering.

SUGAR GROWERS.

DEPUTATION TO MR. HUGHES.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

Two deputations representing the sugar-growers in Queensland waited on the Prime Minister to-day to discuss with him the method of dealing with the 1917-18 sugar crop. One introduced by Mr. Bamford, M.P., represented the United Canegrowers' Association, and the other introduced by Mr. Corser, M.P., represented the Australian Sugar Producers Association. It was urged by the members of the deputation that steps should be taken to increase the price for their cane, one section asking the Commonwealth to take over the whole crop. Mr. Hughes induced them to confer among themselves, and prepare some scheme which they could all recommend to the Ministry. The representatives of the two associations met to-night, and they will probably wait on the Prime Minister again to-morrow.

INTERNEES ESCAPE.

Wilhelm Henning and Joseph Barzantny escaped from the German Concentration Camp yesterday afternoon. They were working on the railway construction for the Department of Defence.

Henning is 34 years of age, 5ft 8in high, strong build, 12st 10lb, brown hair, hazel eyes, medium complexion, and clean shaven. He is tattooed on the left forearm with a heart, anchor, and cross, and an anchor is tattooed on the chest. When he escaped he was dressed in working clothes. He is a native of Germany.

Barzantny, is 20 years of age, 5ft 7in high, thin build, clean shaven, fair hair and complexion, and dressed in working clothes. He also is a native of Germany.

THREATENING LETTER.

PERTH, Wednesday.

Michael Sawtell, who, in December last, was sentenced with other I.W.W. men to two years for seditious conspiracy, and subsequently allowed out on bond, pleaded guilty in the Criminal Court to having sent a letter to Senator Lynch threatening that a certain farm belonging to him would be destroyed. Accused said he wrote the letter with a view to intimidating Senator Lynch into using his influence to get Tom Barker released, and subsequently he was released. "I never intended to destroy his farm," Sawtell said.

His Honor sentenced accused to six months' imprisonment with hard labour.

EXPORT OF COKE.

BRISBANE, Wednesday.

While the Government resents the application of the War Precautions Act to the meat industry in Queensland, and in regard to which there is reason to believe litigation is proposed, it apparently is desirous of inducing Mr. Hughes to exercise similarly strong powers against New South Wales in regard to coke. The Minister for Mines (Mr. Jones) stated this morning that considerable attention was being given to the coke industry, and the department was endeavouring to meet the requirements of the northern smelters. New South Wales, he said, was the chief supplier of coke, but was exporting large quantities to America. That should not be permitted.

Mr. Jones pointed out that Mr. Hughes has refused to allow the export of copper from Australia, excepting in a refined state, so he ought not to allow the export of coke which was necessary for the refining of copper ore. On October 13, he said, the Commonwealth Government was asked to prevent the export of coke from New South Wales until Queensland demands had been satisfied, but as nothing definite had resulted the request was being repeated.

VENEREAL DISEASES.

Commenting yesterday upon a recent statement by Mr. W. D. B. Creagh, police court missioner, suggesting a means whereby the spread of venereal disease might be checked, Mr. J. D. Fitzgerald, Minister of Public Health, stated that no provision is made under any Act for the examination of prisoners suffering from contagious disease who have not been convicted of an offence, but, having been convicted, they may then be dealt with under the Prisoners' Detention Act.

SAILMAKERS' UNION.

Mr. John East, retiring secretary of the Sailmakers' Union, was entertained at Sargents Rooms recently, and presented with a smoker's outfit, and on behalf of Mrs. East with a cabinet of cutlery and electroplate. The president, Mr. A. M'Lennan, stated that Mr. East had recently completed a service of 27 years as secretary.

FATAL MOCK DUEL.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

The Coroner held an inquiry yesterday concerning the fatal mock duel at East Brunswick on February 25, when Edric Augustus McIntosh, 27, was shot dead by a married woman named Stella Hines. Hines was committed for trial on a charge of manslaughter.

DENIAL BY MR. CATTS.

"It has been brought to my notice," stated Mr. J. H. Catts, M.P., yesterday, "that during my absence in Melbourne last week, Mr. Morrish, M.L.A., stated, according to a report published in the 'S.M. Herald,' of March 2, that 'He had worked hand in hand with Mr. Catts during the recruiting campaign, and he would tell them that in conversation with Mr. Catts, he (Mr. Catts) said that if the voluntary system failed, they must have conscription.' Mr. Morrish was, late in the recruiting campaign, appointed as the secretary of one of 250 war service committees. In that way he worked hand in hand with me. I only saw Mr. Morrish a couple of times on some business he referred to me. I have never had any conversation with him otherwise in my life. The statement that I in any way discussed conscription with him is a pure figment of his imagination. There is no foundation for his statement whatsoever."

MEAT TRADE TROUBLE.

SHOPKEEPERS' POINT OF VIEW

Mr. W. G. Geddes yesterday stated that the Meat Employees' Union had resorted to every tyrannical means within its power to compel him to close his shop at 5 p.m., despite the fact that Mr. Justice Edmunds had varied the existing award allowing the retail shops to remain open till 5.30 p.m. Similar pressure had been brought to bear on the other black-listed shops, without result. The union having failed to bring them to their knees by instituting sectional strikes amongst the men employed by the small carcase butchers, tried to persuade the men working in the black-listed shops to cease work, with no better results, notwithstanding the fact that nine-tenths were financial members of the union. It was not these men, Mr. Geddes said, who were desirous of causing the boycot, but apparently a section of "red-raggers," who were not over particular as to the means adopted to gain their ends. These members of the union showed the kind of spirit of fair dealing they possessed when, whilst eagerly snatching up the increase of from 5s to 7s 6d a week which the last award gave them, refused absolutely to recognise the employer's right to keep his shop open till 5.30 p.m. in place of 5 p.m. when the variation of the award allowed them to do so. Mr. Geddes said that he had been paying his employees even higher rates of pay than those already stated. Men who were entitled to £3 12s 6d and £3 5s a week were now receiving as much as £4 and £3 10s respectively. "The union can take it for granted," said Mr. Geddes, "that not one of the shops which has been under the ban of the black list will re-employ any of the men who have gone out on strike, neither will they close their shops before half-past five o'clock. So far as I am concerned," he said, "the extra half-hour meets the convenience of people who cease work at five, and make their purchases on the way home; it is the busiest hour of the day, and one that the union cannot be allowed to interfere with, so long as we are trading within legal hours."

EFFORTS AT SETTLEMENT.

The whole of the slaughtermen who had been out on account of the trouble with the black-listed shops returned to work yesterday at Glebe Island. A conference comprising representatives from the Carcase Butchers' Association, the Cash Butchers' Association, and the Meat Employees' Union met during the afternoon to consider certain difficulties which were stated to be in the way of a final settlement. The conference was still sitting at a late hour last night.

RABBITS.

SUPPLIES FOR CONSUMPTION.

MELBOURNE Wednesday.

The Commonwealth authorities are taking an active interest in the supply of rabbits for consumption both in Australia and abroad. The view that the rabbit is a pest, to be eradicated from the continent by all means possible, is not being encouraged in localities reasonably close to large centres of population or to freezing works. Steps have been taken to suspend all poisoning, and trappers are urged to endeavour to maintain the supply of carcases for consumption.

SUBMARINED.

SURVIVORS LANDED AT CAPETOWN.

For the first time the crew of a submarined vessel has been landed in Capetown, says the Cape "Times," of January 26. The Germans adopted barbarous methods, and only good luck and skilful seamanship saved the entire crew of the vessel, which flew the flag of our ally Russia. The survivors were fortunate to escape the shots from the submarine and endured much suffering from exposure in bitter weather.

Captain Janson, the skipper, gave a graphic account of the event. He said: "The Rube, a three-masted barque of 590 tons, belonging to Mariehaven, Finland, left an American port on November 28, and the voyage proceeded without mishap until we got 89 miles off the British Isles. I was taking the meridian altitude about noon on January 4 when I sighted a submarine on the starboard beam.

"She signalled us to abandon the ship, and then she came up aft and fired a shot right along the deck. I reckon the shot travelled about five feet above the deck, as I could plainly see the splinters from the rigging. The shot struck the forecastle head and split the head sails.

"Immediately we lowered our sails and put the lifeboat over. Then all hands left the ship. We had got about two lengths from the ship when the submarine again began to fire at the Rube. First she fired about five shots from the port side, and afterwards she went to the starboard side and fired at least about 10 shots. About one hour afterwards the ship disappeared.

"In my opinion the ship turned turtle, as she was loaded with timber. We steered an eastward course, but as there was a heavy sea at the time we could not always keep to it. About four hours later we were picked up by a Japanese liner. We were stiff with cold and wet to the skin.

"All our crew, consisting of myself, the mate, and 10 men, were saved. I think the submarine was one of the latest and largest. She had a very rusty appearance, and must have been out a long time."

The captain and men remarked upon the kindness which was being shown to them in Capetown.

PATRIOTIC FUNDS.

COMPLAINT FROM WAGGA.

WAGGA, Wednesday.

Indignation exists regarding the manner in which appeals by the country districts for assistance from the patriotic funds are treated by Sydney executive bodies.

The Mayor, presiding at a meeting of the War Service Committee, expressed dissatisfaction with the manner in which the funds were being managed.

The meeting appointed Alderman E. E. Collins to proceed to Sydney and interview the authorities, with the view of securing equable treatment for returned soldiers and their dependents in country districts.

MASTER BAKERS AND CLERKS' UNION.

As the result of a conference between representatives of the Master Bakers' and the Australian Clerks' Associations, an agreement, embodying the following rates of pay has been arrived at:—Male clerks, 23 years of age and over, £3 5s; female clerks, 21 years of age and over, £1 17s 6d per week of 44 hours. These rates are put down as a minimum for the ages stipulated, but provision is made for a graduated scale affecting employees between 15 and 21. All time worked in excess of 44 hours is to be paid for at the rate of time and a half, and double time for all holidays. The agreement is for two years, and contains a proviso that preference shall be extended to all members of the Employees' Association.

THE CHURCH OF ROME AND THE BIBLE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Archbishop Wright is reported to have referred to a "great communion in our midst that refuses the Bible to its people." Of course he cannot be referring to the Catholic Church, for he has surely on his library shelves the famous Anglican historian, James Gairdner's "Lollardy and the Reformation." In vol. I., pp. 104 and 105, he will read:—"A little further on, Sir Thomas More tells us that he himself had seen some of these old translations (of the Bible) authorised for use by the bishop of the diocese, when they were left in the hands of men and women among the laity." This statement, continues Gairdner, it is important to note for more than one reason, but chiefly in correction of a vulgar error, which was sedulously propagated by some even in Sir Thomas More's day, and which has been current ever since—that the Church of Rome was always opposed to any translation whatever of the Bible, and to its use by laymen. The only ground for such an insinuation in More's day was the suppression of Tyndale's New Testament and other corrupt translations with heretical commentaries. But the truth is the Church of Rome was not at all opposed to the making of translations of Scripture or to placing them in the hands of the laity under what was deemed proper precaution." And again, on p. 106, "To allow the use of Scriptures to get out of their control, when it was easy to keep it under their supervision, would have been on their (the clergy's) part a manifest dereliction of duty."

Thus far, James Gairdner, C.B., LL.D. That the Catholic Church acts now as then the youngest Catholic child knows.

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FAIRPLAY.

WAR CASUALTIES.

KILLED.

SERGEANT-MAJOR FINLAYSON.

Word has been received that Sergeant-Major Frank Finlayson, a native of Parramatta, has been killed in France. Sergeant-Major Finlayson, was a son of the late James Finlayson. He was 29 years of age, and leaves a widow and three young children. He left Australia with the Coo-ees.

WOUNDED.

LIEUTENANT H. N. BOTT.

Lieutenant H. N. Bott, son of Mrs. A. Bott, of South Singleton, has been wounded in action in France, and is now in hospital in London, suffering from shell-shock. Lieutenant Bott, who is only 22 years of age, has been on active service in France for the past 14 months.

GUNNER WARTON.

Mrs. S. Warton, of Concord, has received official intimation that her husband, Gunner S. Warton, has been wounded in France. He left for the front in January last year.

PRIVATE R. DURRINGTON.

Mr. T. Durrington, proprietor of Tattersall's Hotel, Ballina, has been advised that his son, Private R. Durrington, has been admitted into hospital, suffering from shrapnel wound on the right arm. Two other brothers, Private Tom Durrington and Private Arthur Durrington, are also at the front.

GONSALEZ OPERATIC CONCERT.

Beautiful music, fine singing, and the overwhelming enthusiasm of a great audience marked the first of the two concerts by the Gonsalez Italian Opera Company at the Town Hall last night. The only blemish on an otherwise well-managed entertainment was a delay of 20 minutes in opening. The hearty reception of all the artists proved their popularity in turn, and a really hopeful sign for concert enterprise of the best kind in this city was the enthusiasm which followed the introduction of practically new music. Signorina Visoni has only once before been heard in the great soprano aria from "La Waltz," an opera by Alfredo Catalini, produced at Turin in 1892, the year before the composer's death. The soprano rendered this elevated music of romance with an almost devotional expression, and her artistic success was recognised by insistence upon a repetition. Another artist heard in something new was Signor Cacialli in a splendid aria from Gomez' opera, "Salvator Rosa," which he rendered with deep feeling and vocal breadth. The basso was cheered, and contributed an extra number. The piano accompaniments to these, and various other, solos were admirably played by Signor Ernesto Gonsalez.

Signor Giovanni conducted the orchestra in the idyllic overture to "Mignon," and achieved a charmful delicacy of interpretation in Ponchielli's fanciful and enchanting "Dance of the Hours." Uproarious enthusiasm followed Signor Scamuzzi after his voluble and animated delivery of Figaro's "Largo al Factotum," and the baritone came forward again and again until replaced by Signor Cappelli. Although "O Paradiso" ("L'Africaine") is rarely heard here, the famous tenor poured forth his beautiful voice to such good effect that the audience was deeply moved, leading to the addition of Denza's "Vieni." Signorina Gonsalez sang two popular Neapolitan songs, "O Sole Mio" and "O Marinariello," both characteristic in their rhythmic piquancy, the orchestra suggesting a guitar accompaniment. The lyric soprano, who was in fine voice, was obliged to consent to further effort.

The evening was full of stimulating interest. Everyone was delighted to hear Signor Balboni in the romance "Non Credevi tu" (encored), from "Mignon," the tender sentiment of his style finding full scope therein. Signor Fillippini's wonderful vocal resonance in "Dio Possente," Valentine's aria, brought down the house; whilst Signor Lois made his principal success in "Bella Figlia," with Signorine Russ and Gonsalez and Signor Fillippini in the quartette from "Rigoletto." Signorina de Revers had studied Tosti's "Goodbye" in English, and thus contributed a popular feature to a protracted programme, which included many other gems from the operatic treasury.

Messrs. Ben. and J. Fuller announce the second and last appearance of the Italian artists in an entirely different programme this evening, after which they leave for Melbourne.

FEDERAL LAND TAX.

MANILLA, Wednesday.

At a meeting of the F. and S. Association the following resolution was carried:—"That an emphatic protest be entered against the recent excessive increases in local land valuations for Federal land tax purposes, and that the Deputy Commissioner be asked to have same reviewed."

The mover, Mr. Bowman, said the Government valuer's tax was five times more than the shire valuer's tax.

Mr. J. Coote said that the Government valuation in cases was five or six times more than the land was worth. Valuators should live in the district.

The president said valuations were absurd.

The motion was carried unanimously.

MENINGITIS.

WALGETT, Wednesday.

So far, there have been six cases of meningitis in the Walgett Hospital. Two have proved fatal, and two more are in a very critical condition. It was a fortunate circumstance that Dr. Finley, who visited the district, specially to attend the child of his brother, brought a supply of serum, and that has been augmented by a further supply received by the hospital.

MOREE, Wednesday.

There are two meningitis cases in the local district hospital. Both patients are progressing favourably.

MUSICIANS' AWARD.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

The musicians' case was decided in the Arbitration Court yesterday before Mr. Justice Duffy.

It was announced that the parties, with the exception of the vaudeville managers, had agreed to all matters in dispute, and had proposed that, instead of an award of the Court, an agreement executed by the parties be filed and certified under section 24 of the Act. As regarded vaudeville, the parties desired to meet in conference, when all employers could be represented, in order to see if they could settle that section of the dispute. The agreement was for three years; any dispute to be submitted to a board of reference, whose decision would be final.

The rates and conditions agreed upon were:

Ordinary theatrical and comic opera performances, etc., £3 15s for six consecutive performances, 11s for each extra performance; one rehearsal, not exceeding three hours for any production, free, overtime 1s for each quarter of an hour or portion thereof; extra rehearsals 5s each for three hours; where 12 shows per week are guaranteed, £6 per week. All other conditions in the undertaking, under which the parties have been working to remain. Picture shows six performances per week of 15 hours, £3; one matinee, two hours, at 4s per hour; all time over 15 hours, except one matinee, 1s 6d for every half-hour; rehearsal, 5s for two hours, if less to be paid for at overtime rate of 3s per hour; for performances after seven performances in any one week, no overtime up to half an hour shall be paid for; where 12 performances per week are given rate to be £6 per week; all overtime on all holidays to be paid for at 1s 6d per half-hour; casuals 5s per hour for minimum of 2½ hours; overtime at same rate as regular performers. A casual to be defined as any person engaged for less than 15 hours per week.

MERRIWA RAILWAY.

MERRIWA, Wednesday.

In response to representations from the local Railway League, an urgent telegram from the Secretary of Railways was received to-day, stating that goods traffic only will be conveyed on the Merriwa extension on and from to-morrow.

SICKNESS OUT WEST.

The Mayor of Wilcannia has advised the Health Department that a considerable amount of sickness, including suspected cases of diphtheria and typhoid fever, had occurred in the town, that the matron of the local hospital was suffering from diphtheria, and that one death had occurred, and other patients were too ill to move. Arrangements have been made for Dr. Bartley, Government Medical Officer at Broken Hill, to visit the town.

POSTAL STORES BUILDING.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

The Federal Parliamentary Committee on Public Works has concluded its investigations into the proposed extensions of the postal stores buildings in Harbour-street, Sydney. The chairman of the committee, Mr. Riley tabled this report in the House of Representatives to-day. It shows that the extension was approved on the chairman's casting vote.

FEDERAL SESSION.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

SOLDIERS' VOTES.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

The question of soldiers' votes at the forthcoming Federal elections was raised in the House of Representatives to-day by Mr. Burns (N.S.W.), who asked whether the Government intended allowing the different parties to appoint scrutineers.

Mr. Cook, in the absence of the Prime Minister, said that the Government would welcome any suggestions from the other side, which would ensure the bona fides of the votes taken at the front. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. O'Malley (Tas.): Will the names of candidates be sent to the front? I want to get mine before the men over there.

Mr. Glynn (Minister for Home and Territories): All information to enable the men to give an intelligent vote will be cabled across forthwith.

Mr. O'Malley inquired whether the Minister would see that the ballot boxes were placed in the hands of a civil authority, and not of the military.

Mr. Glynn promised to give consideration to the suggestion.

Mr. Groom (representing the Minister for Defence) informed Mr. Charlton (N.S.W.) that four railway sections had embarked, and a fifth, now being organised, would absorb all the men who had volunteered. More drivers, firemen, and fitters were, however, required.

CONCENTRATION CAMPS.

Mr. Mahon (W.A.) asked whether before the House adjourned members would be furnished with a list of persons of Australian birth now interned in concentration camps within the Commonwealth. Had a petition been received from, and would an inquiry be held into the circumstances surrounding their internment?

Notice of the question was asked for.

The Minister for Home and Territories (Mr. Glynn) stated, in reply to Mr. Page (Q.), that the reappointment or otherwise of the Administrator of the Northern Territories was being considered, and the matter would probably be decided this week.

IMPERIAL CONFERENCE.

Dr. Maloney (Vic.) asked Mr. Cook, in the absence of the Prime Minister, whether the Government had considered the desirability of appointing the High Commissioner (Mr. Fisher) as Australia's representative at the Imperial Conference.

Mr. Cook replied that no Public servant, no matter how highly placed, could be considered adequately representative of Australia. (Hear, hear.)

The Minister for Home and Territories (Mr. Glynn) informed Mr. Johnson (N.S.W.) that the question of restoring the postal vote was under consideration.

The Minister for the Navy (Mr. Cook) stated, in reply to Mr. Boyd, that Mr. Baddeley, president of the Australian Coal and Shale Employees' Federation, Senator Watson, and Mr. Charlton, M.P., had waited on him recently, and informed him that certain mines in the northern district were working only two or three days a fortnight. They had asked whether it was possible to place any contracts with the naval depot to relieve the distress prevailing there. On inquiry he found that all contracts had been fulfilled, and there was a large stock of unused coal on hand, and he had therefore been unable to assist them in the way they asked.

TREASURER'S STATEMENT.

The debate on the Treasurer's financial statement was resumed by Mr. Fenton, who criticised the Prime Minister for indulging in recriminations directed against the party with which he was so recently associated. It was asserted that members of the Australian Labour party were under the domination of labour leagues. Personally, he would rather be controlled by the working men and women of Australia than be the tool and vassal of rich trusts, combines, and squatters.

Mr. Webster said the Opposition had struck a blow at effective voluntary recruiting just when the Director-General had got the movement into line ready for a march forward to victory. An alliance had taken possession of the Labour party, and would bring it to its doom.

Mr. Anstey (Vic.) said the Prime Minister's action in issuing a writ against Senator Watson was merely a subterfuge, by means of which he hoped to close the mouths of those who would bruit it abroad. He urged that Australia should be represented at the Imperial conference by Mr. Fisher.

The House adjourned until 2.30 p.m. to-morrow.

SENATE.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

Senator O'Keefe (Tas.) asked Senator Millen whether he had seen the published statement of the Premier of Tasmania that he knew of the intended resignation in the Senate two days before it was sent in. In view of this, would the decision not to hold a commission of inquiry be retracted?

Senator Millen replied that he saw no discrepancy in the statement and that of the Prime Minister. The latter part of the question would be referred to the Prime Minister.

Senator Russell informed Senator Lynch that the matter of paying an instalment of one shilling on wheat already delivered to the pool was under consideration.

HOME RULE FOR IRELAND.

Senator Henderson moved that a humble address be presented to his Majesty, praying that a just measure of Home Rule might be granted immediately to the people of Ireland. The Irish people, he said, had flocked to the standard of the Empire from all parts of the world.

Senator Ferricks seconded the motion. He believed the Imperial Government would welcome it as an expression of opinion from a self-governing community.

Senator Pearce said that similar motions had been submitted in the Senate and he had supported them. To-day, however, they were faced with the position that the Empire was at war. He believed that all parties in Great Britain were now honestly engaged in endeavouring to find a solution of this most intricate and hitherto insoluble problem. Speaking for himself and not for the Government, he would not like to say that Home Rule could be immediately granted to Ireland, although the fact that the British Cabinet had given facilities for discussion of the matter gave hope of a peaceful solution. (Hear, hear.) It would make them look foolish if they asked for an immediate settlement and found afterwards that the Home Rule party itself was not prepared or pressing for it. He moved that the word "immediately" be omitted with a view to inserting "without undue delay."

Senator Millen seconded the amendment. He said he had always held that we would commence to travel to a very doubtful path indeed if we as a legislature attempted to project our thoughts and actions and activities into the arena controlled by another self-governing legislature. He would vote against the motion. Although he had come to the conclusion that Home Rule for Ireland was inevitable, he should be no party to any measure of Home Rule which would coerce Ulster.

The motion was supported by Senators Gardiner (N.S.W.), Delargie (W.A.), and others.

Senator Gould (N.S.W.) said he recognised all that the Irish people had done for the Empire. The motion, however, might be the means of bringing about more trouble and dispute. If Home Rule could be settled by agreement he would welcome such a settlement.

The motion, as amended, was carried on a division by 29 votes to 2, only Senators Millen and Gould voting against it.

CAUCUS DISCLOSURES.

On the motion for adjournment Senator Delargie (W.A.) said that Senator Gardiner (N.S.W.) had given in Western Australia a list of measure carried by the Fisher Government in 1910-13, as if he himself should have credit for that legislation. As a matter of fact, Senator Gardiner in 1912 had voted against the Labour Government 13 times, and only 14 times for it.

Senator Gardiner said that he had been free to vote to improve measure, and had been loyal to Labour principles. Answering interjections, he said that the caucus had never voted in favour of the conscription referendum, but a motion by Mr. Hughes that men be called up on October 1, not September 1, was carried by 23 votes to 21. It was a snap vote, some of the members being away, and he himself had voted against it, and sacrificed his own opinions to remain in the Government in the hope of holding the Labour party together. All the big measures which the Labour party had passed had been largely the development of the outside machine. Senator Gardiner went on to state that fear of the risks of the sea might have contributed to the decision that the Prime Minister, Sir John Forrest, and Sir Wm. Irvine should not go to London. (Ministerial laughter.) Mr. Fisher and Sir George Reid could temporarily represent Australia at the Empire War Council.

Senator Pearce said that Senator Gardiner was not correct in his reference to what took place in the Labour caucus on the conscription issue.

The motion then carried was in favour of a referendum, and that the men be called up two months before the poll.

The Senate at 6.5 p.m. adjourned till 3 p.m. on Tuesday next.

RAILWAY EMPLOYEES.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

At a conference of railway men and Trades Hall organisations it was decided that a strike ballot should be taken on the question of independent industrial boards for railway employees.

WHEAT POOL.

GUARANTEE OF 4/.

REPRESENTATION OF FARMERS.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

At the Australian Wheat Board Conference, which has just completed its sittings, consideration was given to the question of the advance to be given to farmers in respect of the 1917-18 harvest. It was decided that, in addition to the immediate payment of 3s per bushel already agreed upon, the various State Governments should be asked to guarantee a minimum realisation to wheat farmers of 4s per bushel f.o.b. The two pools will be separated, the first dealing with the 1915-16 crop and the second with the 1916-17 crop. The general lines of differentiation between the pools will be that all local and oversea sales made to December 31, 1916, shall be on account of the old pool, and all sales subsequent to that shall be on account of the new pool.

This scheme is made a little more involved by the purchase by Great Britain of 3,000,000 tons of Australian wheat. For the purpose of the books of the two pools that sale is regarded as having covered the whole of the balance of the 1915-16 harvest unsold on December 31, the balance of the 3,000,000 tons to be made up out of the second crop, and credited to the new pool. Where sales made between January 1 and May 31 of this year realise more than 4s 9d a bushel the excess above that price is to be equally apportioned between the two pools. All administration expenses incurred during 1917 are to be borne by the new pool.

In order that an equitable interest adjustment might be made, it was agreed that the early payment by the British Government for the 3,000,000 tons purchased should be taken as on account of the old pool, although it will be necessary that several adjustments must be made between the two pools. It is recognised that so far as the wheat itself is concerned all losses, such as those occupying through vermin, etc., and any gains in weight, should be solely on account of the crop to which they refer.

Another important decision arrived at by the board was to accede to the public demand for the representation of farmers on the board. It was agreed that the best way to give the most effective representation was by taking a direct poll of the farmers themselves. Nominees, who must be wheat farmers, will be invited from all the States, and each nominee will require to have twenty nominators, who must be wheat-growers who have delivered wheat to the pool. Voting will be on a preferential system.

The board decided that second-hand cornsacks would not in any circumstances be accepted for the coming harvest. It is not known how long the wheat may require to be kept, and if worn sacks were accepted the loss might be very serious.

The firm of Louis Dreyfus and Co. was added to the list of London selling agents, and the firm's representative in Melbourne will also hold a seat on the advisory board.

CASUALTIES.

COLLISION WITH A TRAM.

John Talbott, a carter, who resides in Railway-road, Sydenham, was driving along Regent-street yesterday afternoon, when his vehicle came into collision with a tram. He was thrown heavily to the ground. The Civil Ambulance conveyed him to the Sydney Hospital.

MAN FALLS FORTY FEET.

George Hart (62), residing in Brown-street, Paddington, was walking along a plank at the Tempe deviation works yesterday, when he over-balanced and fell to the ground, a distance of over 40 feet. The Newtown Civil Ambulance removed him to the Prince Alfred Hospital.

POISONED BY STRYCHNINE.

Alfred Ashley, 60, who resided in Salisbury-street, Waverley, and was employed as a gardener, died yesterday afternoon from strychnine-poisoning. It is stated by the police that Ashley went to a chemist shop in Waverley, and purchased a quantity of strychnine stating that he wanted to destroy some ants. He subsequently went to a hotel, and asked for a glass of beer. Before drinking it he was seen to place in the glass what appeared to be white powder. Ashley walked out of the hotel, and about 10 minutes later died in a paddock nearby.

FATAL BATHING ACCIDENT.

DUNGOG, Wednesday.

Miss Grace Wilkinson, aged 23 years, was drowned while bathing last evening. Deceased, who was employed as a milliner, was bathing with several other women in the river at the north end of the town, and accidentally got into deep water. Miss Callow, a visitor from Stroud, who was close at hand, made two attempts to save Miss Wilkinson. After three hours' searching the body was recovered.

DROWNING ACCIDENT.

WOLLONGONG, Wednesday.

Arthur Ernest Lewis, employed on the jetty at Port Kembla, whilst engaged last night in assisting to pull a hawser out of the water, fell into the harbour and was drowned.

THE WEATHER.

Under the influence of a north-east wind, the weather proved warm and sultry in the city yesterday afternoon, and the temperature went up to 84.8. About 5.15 p.m. a storm with a thundery tendency worked up from the south-west, and the wind changed to the southward, causing light showers to occur, which resulted in 4 points of rain being registered. A change of wind was responsible for a fall in temperature of 10 degrees in a few minutes. From the maximum temperature of 84.8 degrees at 2 p.m., the 9 p.m. temperature, 70.5 degrees, showed a fall of 14.3 degrees. During the evening the wind increased, and the greatest velocity attained was 28 miles, at 7.30 p.m., from the south-east.

FEDERAL SELECTIONS.

The New South Wales executive of the Political Labour League decided at a meeting yesterday afternoon to invite applications for candidates for the following Federal divisions, such applications, in writing, and accompanied by two copies of the pledge, and a certificate as to the eligibility of the candidate, to be in the hands of the general secretary, Mr. P. C. Evans, at Macdonell House, on Thursday, March 15:—Barrier, Calare, Cowper, Gwydir, Hume, Macquarie, New England, North Sydney, Parkes, Parramatta, Richmond, Riverina, Robertson, Wentworth, West Sydney, and Werriwa. The executive will meet at 9 a.m. on Sunday, March 18, for the purpose of making the selections, when all applicants will be invited to be present.

LATE COMMERCIAL.

MELBOURNE LIVE STOCK MARKET.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

In the live stock market to-day 2110 fat cattle were yarded, comprised of 1565 bullocks and 544 cows, and including 260 from New South Wales. The quality of the yarding was, on the whole, very good, the bulk of the supply of bullocks being of good to prime quality. There was a good attendance of buyers, and the market for the greater part of the day was brisk, bullocks until the afternoon showing a further advance on last week's increased rates. When, however, it became apparent that the supply of prime quality was quite equal to requirements, the demand slackened, and prices receded to below the closing rates of last market, sales at the finish being weak. For cows the demand was rather irregular, but no material alteration in rates can be quoted.

Quotations: Best pens of bullocks £18/17/6 to £20/15/, extra to £22/17/6, odd pens of extra heavy £26/10/, good pens of bullocks £17/7/6 to £18/10/, good light and handy weights £15 to £17/10/, good and inferior to £14/15/; best pens of cows £14 to £16/12/6, extra £17/7/6, odd lots to £19, good pens of cows £10/10/ to £13, second do. £9/5/ to £10/5/, inferior from £5.

Of fat calves 630 were penned, including a good proportion of prime sorts. The demand for all classes was very strong, and late rates were well maintained.

ADELAIDE, Wednesday.

To-day's sales and quotations were:—

Various: S. A. Oil Wells, paid, s, 1/10; S. A. Oil Wells, con., b /3.

Copper: Hampden, 31/, 31/3, b 31/1½, s 31/6; Mount Morgan, b 31/; Mount Lyell, b 26/3; Wallaroo, 56/3, b 56/, s 56/6.

Tin: Vegetable Creek, b 4/2, s 4/6.

Silver: Broken Hill, 42/, s 43/; Block 14, pref. b 8/10, s 9/; ditto, ord., b 6/, s 6/2; British (old), 27/6, 27/9, b 27/7½, s 27/9; British (new), 25/6 (30), b 25/6; Junction, paid, 5/11, b 5/10, s 6/; Junction, con., 4/11, 5/, b 5/, s 5/1; Junction North, 8/7, b 8/3, s 8/7; North Broken Hill, 49/3, 49/6, 49/3, b 49/, s 49/3; South Broken Hill, paid, b £8, s £8/2/; ditto, con., s £7/17/; Zinc Corporation, pref., b 45/; ditto, ord., b 15/1½, s 15/4½.

Gold.—Lake View and Star, s 1/5; Associated Northern, 2/4, b 2/2, s 2/4; Bullfinch Proprietary, b 1/1, s 1/2; Commodore, 4/1, b 4/0½, s 4/2; Boulder, b 10/4½, s 10/7½; Ivanhoe, b 36/; Mararoa, 6/10, b 6/7, s 6/10; Edna May, 69/, b 68/9, s 69/; Edna May Consolidated, paid, 14/6, b 14/6, s 15/; ditto, con., 12/9, 12/7½, 12/4½, 13/1½ b 12/7½, s 12/9; Edna May Central, 18/4½, 18/3, 18/, 18/7½, b 18/1½, s 18/3; Edna May Battlers, paid, b 5/0, s 6/3; ditto, con., 4/6, b 4/3, s 4/5; Edna May Deeps, 7/5, 7/4, 7/3, b 7/4 s 7/5; Edna May Golden Point, paid, 2/3, b 2/2 s 2/6; ditto, con., /8½, /9; Edna May Junction, paid, 4/9½, b 4/10; ditto, con., b 3/3, s 3/6; Empress, /4; Leonora Blocks, b 9/8, s 10/9; Nullagine b 1/8, s 1/10; Taroola Blocks, b /4, s /5½; Weston's Reward, paid, b /9; ditto, con., s /2.

DOUBLE INCOME TAX.

TREASURY WILL CONSIDER.

LONDON, March 6.

Lord Strathspey drew attention, in the House of Lords, to the hardship and injustice the Dominions had suffered by the double income tax.

Lord Denman supported the statements.

Lord Hylton (Lord-in-Waiting), in reply, said the Treasury will shortly reconsider the whole matter. He admitted a practical hardship existed, but the same taxes were imposed in foreign countries. If the hardships were removed the Exchequer must suffer. The colonies in this matter wanted to have the best of both worlds. They must remember that the development of the Dominions had been secured in the first instance by British capital, and, therefore, the Dominions should consider the question of making some compromise. If the taxation of colonial investments were cut off, it would be an abandonment of a principle of the income tax as imposed by Britain during many years.

DERBY CONSPIRACY CASE.

LONDON, March 6.

The trial was opened at the Old Bailey to-day, before Mr. Justice Low, of Mrs. Alice Wheeldon, her daughters, Harriet Wheeldon and Mrs. Winifred Mason, and her son-in-law, Alfred Mason, who were charged with conspiring to murder Mr. Lloyd George and Mr. Arthur Henderson. It will probably last several days.

All the accused pleaded not guilty.

Sir F. E. Smith (Attorney-General) submitted that the prisoners were a desperate body of people, bitterly hostile to this country. They sheltered fugitives from the army, and had done their best to injure Britain during the war crisis.

Discussing the motive leading people of the middle-class and of good education to such moral degeneracy, he said that the jury would probably infer, firstly, that the prisoners had an intense and unreasoning hatred of the country, which was shocking; secondly, hatred of measures necessitated by war, and a profound dislike of compulsion; and, thirdly, hatred of statesmen whose duty it was to recommend such measures.

OBITUARY.

PORTUGAL'S FIRST PRESIDENT.

LISBON, March 7.

The death is announced of Dr. Manoel de Arriaga, first President of the Republic of Portugal. He assumed office on August 24, 1911, four days after the new Constitution was adopted, and retired on May 27, 1915.

LONDON COUNTY COUNCIL.

LONDON, March 7.

The Progressives have been allowed to nominate the next chairman of the London County Council. They have chosen Lord Crewe, who has accepted nomination.

TREATMENT OF DISEASE.

LONDON, March 6.

The bill introduced by Lord Rhondda, President of the Local Government Board, restricting the treatment of venereal disease to qualified practitioners, has been read a first time in the House of Lords.

ST. VINCENT'S HOSPITAL.

A meeting was held at St. Vincent's Hospital yesterday to discuss means of augmenting the finances of the institution. It was decided that a garden fete should be arranged in the hospital grounds to begin on April 10, and last a week. Mr. Hugh J. Ward attended the meeting, and undertook to hold a gala matinee at Her Majesty's for April 17. The other managers would co-operate with him in presenting a big programme. There would be three J. C. Williamson companies in the city to draw upon, which, with the assistance of the Actors' Association, would enable an attractive programme to be submitted. A art union is being conducted in connection with the fete, and Mrs. Ward has offered prizes in the price of a box at Her Majesty's or the Criterion for the seller who clears the most tickets, and seats at either theatre mentioned for the second and third best sellers.

LATE SHIPPING.

NEW ZEALAND SHIPPING.

WELLINGTON (1230m).—Arr: Mar. 7, Gloria, s., from Surprise Island.

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Town Hall: Gonsalez Operatic Concert, 8.

St. James's Hall: War Chest Concert, 8.

Repertory Theatre: Patriotic Club, [illegible] Defence," 8.

Her Majesty's Theatre: "The Pink Lady," 7.45.

Theatre Royal: Picture Drama, [illegible] and 8.

Criterion Theatre: "Fair and Warmer," 8.15.

Palace Theatre: "Very Good Eddie," 8.

Tivoli: Vaudeville, 2.30 and 8.

The Dandies: Smart Set, Garden Theatre, 8.15.

The Red Dandies: Eden Gardens, Manly, 8.15.

Lyceum: Day and Night Sessions.

Picture Block Theatres: Crystal Palace, Lyric and Empress Theatres, 10 a.m. to 10.30 p.m.

Olympia, Oxford-street: West's Pictures, 8.

Australian Picture Palace, Hyde Park: Continuous.

Alhambra Theatre, George-street: 10.30 to 10.30.

White City: 7.30 to 11.

Taronga Park Zoo: 10 to 7.

National Campaign: Meetings of Candidates in city and Suburban Electorates, 8.

Labour Party Campaign: Meetings in all electorates, 8.

Farmers and Settlers' Association: Metropolitan Branch, 7 O'Connell-street, 2.30.

Miss Helen Barton on the "[illegible]" Waverley Methodist School Hall, 8.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

STOCKS AND SHARES.

A small amount of business was transacted in investment stocks on the Sydney Stock Exchange yesterday. Alterations were few, and these generally were on the downward grade. Totalling Mechanisms experienced a heavy drop of 3/, making the price 37/.

Variations in late sales were:—

RISE.		FALL.	
British Tobacco, ord.	/3	Totalling Mechanisms	3/
		Bank of N.S.W.	5/
		Adelaide Steam	/

STOCK EXCHANGE SALES.

The following sales of investment stocks of shares were recorded:—

Morning.—Hetton Coal, 18/9; British Tobacco, ord., 34/9; Bank of New South Wales, £35/5/; Adelaide Steam, 27/3; I.O.A., 7/; Newcastle Coal, £6.

Noon.—British Tobacco, ord., 35/, 35/; pref., 20/4; Sydney Hydraulic, contg., 5/9; Mudgee Gas, 8 per cent. deb., 1922, £100; Bank of New South Wales, £35/5/.

Afternoon.—Tooth and Co., ord., 25/; Totalling Mechanisms, 37/; Sun Newspaper, 36/4.

STOCK EXCHANGE LIST.

FUNDED STOCKS AND DEBENTURES.

	B.	S.		B.	S.
War Loan, insrd.	96½	96½	N.S.W. 4 p.c., '23	90	..
Do., Bonds	96½	96½	Tr. Bills	96½	..
N.S.W. 3½ p.c., '21	..	91½	B.H. Ppy.	96½	99½
Do., '23	..	89	Do., South	..	101
Do., 3½ p.c., '30	95	95½	Mudgee Gas, 8 p.c.	99½	101

BANKS.

	B.	S.		B.	S.
A'sia	116	117	National	90/	91/6
A.B.C.	12/11	12/6	*N.S. Wales	..	35½
City	85/	..	Q'ld. Ntd.	82/6	..
Do., new	82/	..	Union	52	53½
C. of Syd.	22½	22½	W.A.	..	27½

BANK DEPOSITS.

	B.	S.		B.	S.
A.B.C.	15/	15/6	E.S.A., deb.	13/6	..
E.S.A., def.	15/6	..	Q'ld. Ntl.	12/9	13/3

STEAM.

	B.	S.		B.	S.
A'laide	..	27/3	N. Coast	27/6	..
Balmain	12/6	14/6	Pt. J'son	33/	..
Hud., Parker	25/	..	S. Ferries	19/	19/6
Do., pref.	..	27/4	Union	41/	42/
Illawarra	16/	16/3	Do., pref.	20/9	..
N'castle	30/	..			

INSURANCE.

	B.	S.		B.	S.
Aus. Mut.	..	42/6	N. Z'land	72/	..
Col. Mut.	29/6	..	Q'land	40/	43/
I.O.A.	6/11	7/2	United	6½	..
M'tile	..	25/			

GAS.

	B.	S.		B.	S.
*Albury	..	31/	N'castle	29/6	..
A'lian, A	..	5½	Do., B	..	30/
Do., B	5½	5½	Do., C	..	24/9
Do., C	20/	..	N. Shore	..	19/3

BREWERIES.

	B.	S.		B.	S.
C. & Wood	11/3	11/6	Tooth	24/9	25/3
Perkins	11/	..	Do., pref.	22/	23/6
*Toohey's	..	17/9			

MISCELLANEOUS.

	B.	S.		B.	S.
Aer. Bread	3/6	4/6	Meggitt	10/	10/9
All. Taylor	22/9	23/3	Do., 1st pr.	..	27/6
Am. W'lens	9/	10/	Do., 2nd. pref.	..	23/6
A. Corks	15	18/9	Metters	14/	16/6
Do., pref.	16/6	21/	Millaquin	..	8½
Aus. Drug	26/9	..	Mort's D.	16/9	..
Aus. Hotel	14/	..	N. S. W. Cement	..	26/
A. W. Pipes	15/6	18/6	Do., pref.	25/	..
A. T'phone	..	19	Do., new	23/	24/
B. Watson	20/3	21/	F. Food	18/10½	19/
*Do., 1st pr.	..	20/6	Nicholson	15/	15/6
Do., 2nd pref.	17/9	..	P. and Gray	26/6	..
Br. T'bacco	34/9	35/	Perdriau	..	27/
Do., pref.	20/3	20/6	P'nent	6/11	7/1
B. Philp	27/	..	P'tual	..	16/6
C. Sugar	20½	..	R. H. Gordon	25/	27/6
Do., Fiji	20½	20½	Do., pref.	..	21/
Dalgety	6½	..	R'son and W.	30/	..
Dunlop	21/	22/	*Sargents	24/9	25/6
Do., 1st pr.	24/	25/	Do., new	5/9	..
El. Light	25/3	26/	*S'ton Tram	73/	75/
Emu Bay	..	4/2	Spencers	9/6	..
Do., Gravel	21/	21/6	Std. W'good	16/3	..
E. Rich	14/	..	Sun Npr.	36/	37/
Fairymead	..	19	Stanmore, pr.	20/	22/
Farmer	..	34/6	Syd. Hylic.	11/9	12/3
Do., pref.	19/	..	Do., ctg.	5/6	..
G'borough	35/3	35/9	Syd. I. Sktg.	23/	..
Goodlet	12/	13/	Totg. Mech.	35/6	38/
Gtr. W'ms	8/	8/6	W. Mofflin	13/	..
Har., Jones	..	25/	W. E. Smith	..	8/3
Do., ctg.	..	12/6	W. H. Soul	..	47/6
H. Jones	26/4½	27/3	W. Brooks	..	19/
H. M'pole	22/6	..	Union T'tee	26/	27/6
Hw. Smith	26	27/	W. T. Waters	..	25/
Do., pref.	20/6	21/	Do., pref.	..	20/6
J. J'ding	21/6	..	W'combe	17/	..
J. G'dner	24/3	..	W'lich	17/	18/
Do., new	24/	..	Do., pref.	..	20/6
Rosehanta	..	25/	Do., 2nd pr.	17/9	..

LAND AND BUILDING.

	B.	S.		B.	S.
A. R'ward	15/6	13/3	P'colonial, new	27/6	..
Col.	..	42/6	Newcastle	20/	..
Colonial	30/	..			

COAL.

	B.	S.		B.	S.
Abermain	24/	..	N. Bulli	..	7/3
Caledon	18/	..	Seaham	..	16/
Do., pref.	19/9	..	Do., ctg.	..	14/
E. Greta	20/6	..	S. Greta	3/1	..
Excelsior	22/6	25/	Do., new	..	2/11
Hetton	18/9	19/	V. C'lwydd	24/	..
Ffool, 8 p.c.	..	30/	W'eral	8	10
Do., 2nd pr.	8/	10/6	Wickham	21/6	..
P. Kembla	17/6	..	Do., pref.	32/	35/
Newcastle	6	6¼			

* Denotes ex dividend.

INTERSTATE EXCHANGES.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

The following sales were reported:

Commonwealth war bonds, £98/15/; ditto, £10 bonds, £9/17/; ditto, inscribed stock, £98/15/; Commercial, pref., £5/9/; National, 93/3; Goldsbrough, 35/3; Melbourne Electric Consols, 27/7½; Melbourne "Herald," 24/6.

BRISBANE, Wednesday.

The following sales were reported:

A.B.C. Bank shares, 17/4½; Vulcan Tin, /5½.

FINANCIAL.

THE WAR LOAN.

WHEN DOES INTEREST START?

"Win the War" writes:—

Re—in prospectus of December 22, 1916, of Commonwealth War Loan, 1925, of £18,000,000, at 4½ per cent., issued to the public, it is stated that "when deposit and instalments are paid in full on or before February 8, 1916, interest at £2 5s per £100 subscribed will be paid on June 15, 1917, and thereafter yearly at 4½ per cent.

At considerable personal inconvenience, I raked up £90, and lodged it with my bank in Sydney on February 8, but the receipt from the Commonwealth Bank for the amount is dated February 13.

I take it that the date of deposit with the first-named bank, viz., February 8, is the one that counts, and entitles me to interest of £2 5s as set out in the part underlined above, as on June 15, 1917.

Please say if I am correct in my assumption?

The date for which full interest was to start was afterwards extended beyond February 13, so our correspondent will be all right. In any case, however, as the bank where the money was deposited was presumably an agent of the Commonwealth Government to receive, he would be quite safe in any case.

SYDNEY BANK CLEARINGS.

The clearings of the Sydney banks for the week ended March 7 totalled £11,426,432 against £10,217,028 for the corresponding week last year. The following comparisons may be made of the totals to nearest dates of the years here enumerated:—

January 1 to March 10, 1913	£67,421,951
January 1 to March 9, 1914	71,857,280
January 1 to March 8, 1915	61,571,973
January 1 to March 8, 1916	75,012,646
January 1 to March 7, 1917	81,141,547

There has been an increase of £6,027,901. Melbourne clearings for the week amounted to £9,876,932, and from January 1 to March 8 were £44,733,569, an increase of £1,032,078 on the year.

EMPLOYERS LIABILITY FOR BREACH OF SERVANTS.

Many employers, who are prosecuted under the Industrial Arbitration Act for breach of an award or industrial agreement, raise the plea that such breach was caused through the neglect of an employee. Such a plea avails little or nothing, in that the Act provides that if any person—that is, any employer—commits a breach of an award or a breach of an industrial agreement, whether by contravening or failing to observe the same, or otherwise, the Registrar or an industrial magistrate may order him to pay a penalty not exceeding £50.

A P.N. PROBLEM.

"SANS RECOURS."

"P.B.C." writes:—

Sir,—In our office we deal to a large extent in promissory notes, and I have seen the above words affixed to P.N.'s, to my idea correctly, incorrectly, and unnecessarily, and when these conditional endorsements are required there is always a doubt as to where the words "Sans Recours" should be written, when there are one or more endorsers on the bill.

I have referred to "Stevens" Mercantile Law, Alfred Nixon on Commercial Law, and the Australian Manual of Accountancy, but none of these writers go into the question at any length.

I cite an instance of the way I have seen the words used. A P.N. signed by A.B., payable to C.D., and endorsed by a third party, D.F. The payee, C.D., receives the bill and endorses it over D.F.'s signature, "Without Recourse," he also signs his name under D.F.'s endorsement, to show he is, I take it, the holder of the bill.

Where I think it is unnecessary, is when the bill is lodged with our bank, for collection, and in the event of dishonour the bank would debit C.D.'s account, and C.D. would look first to D.F. for payment. In this instance, what benefit is it to C.D. to have the words "Sans Recours" on the back of the bill? If there were other endorsements on the bill, the words would be a protection, but in the case cited, I am of opinion the words, "Sans Recours" are superfluous.

In the case mentioned by our correspondent, it is probable that the third party, D.F., acted by way of surety to the payee C.D., for payment for goods supplied to him by A.B., and the endorsements were placed on it in the form, and order described for the purpose of safeguarding the position and relative rights of the parties. If the case is as here described upon the dishonour of the P.N., the bank would naturally charge it back to its customer, C.D., who would then proceed against the prior endorser, D.F., compelling him to perform his part as guarantor. The words, "Without recourse," under C.D.'s first endorsement, prevent the possibility of D.F. coming back again upon C.D., his prior endorser. Seeing that the P.N. is payable to C.D., his signature as first endorser was requested to give prima facie evidence of proper sequence in the transactions, and to indicate that the bill was complete and regular when D.F.'s endorsement was placed upon it.

MISCELLANEOUS QUERIES.

"Rayleigh."—An idle hoax.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

During the last quarter of the year there was an excess of departures from the State over arrivals of 20,111 the total population being 1,846,578.

Deposits made in the Commonwealth Bank during the week ended March 5 totalled £255,967, and withdrawals £189,940, depositors' aggregate balances totalling £10,928,164.

INCOME TAXES.

EXEMPTION ON COMPOSITE INCOMES.

A new system of arriving at the exemption on income derived both from personal exertion and from property is provided for in the Amending Federal Income Tax Assessment Act. It is provided that when the total taxable income consists partly of income from personal exertion and partly of income from property the deduction (that is, the statutory deduction of £156 or less, according to the income), shall be apportioned pro rata between the income from each source. Here was an opportunity for an exponent of the higher mathematics to show how an exemption which varies in two ways can be apportioned pro rata between two amounts. Either there was no exponent of the higher mathematics having the ear of the Government courageous enough to attempt the task, or the Government believed that one example of the higher mathematics in a tax was sufficient. At any rate, the administrators of the Act have been left to wrestle with the problem as ably as they can without any light from the mathematicians. How the administrators have solved the problem may be shown by a concrete case, always remembering that the exemption on income from personal exertion decreases £1 in every £4 by which the income exceeds £156, and that in the case of income from property the exemption decreases £5 in every £11 by which the income exceeds £156.

Take a net income of £200 from personal exertion and £100 from property, or a total net income of £300. How is the exemption to be apportioned? In this way the administrators of the Act have laid down. Supposing the whole income from personal exertion were £300, then the exemption would be £120. Again, supposing the whole income from property were £300, then the exemption would be £91. Taking the mean of these two exemptions we obtain £105, which is declared to be the exemption on this composite income of £100. That exemption is to be apportioned pro rata between £200 from personal exertion and £100 from property, or two-thirds as regards personal exertion income and one-third as regards property income. Thus the deduction is £70 from the income from personal exertion, and £35 from the income from property.

"W.W."—The general deduction in your assessment is apportioned on the scheme adopted by the Commissioners outlined above. Whether it is legal is for the courts to decide. The rate of tax is payable on the total amount from personal exertion is the rate which would have been payable had the whole income been derived from personal exertion, and the rate of tax on the property income is the rate which would have been payable had the whole income been derived from property. The tax assessed is therefore correct. The 25 per cent. additional is a super tax passed in the session just before Christmas.

"Brighton."—A State employee, owing to the laxity of the State Parliament in not passing the requisite Act, is not compelled to furnish Federal income tax returns or pay Federal income tax. Only those State employees who are determined not to do anything towards helping our part in the war are taking advantage of this laxity on the part of the State Parliament.

"G. E. Roberts": No, not legally, but certainly morally.

THE MORATORIUM.

"J. W. Haswell": Yes, unless the vendor can obtain an order of the Court enabling him to sue, which he probably could not get if hardship could be proved. "Troubled": Place the matter in the hands of a solicitor. "Anxious": (1) September 20, 1916. (2) 6 per cent. after the due date, 8 per cent. before. (3) The full 8 per cent. up to the due date, and 6 per cent. after.

LONDON FINANCIAL CABLES.

CONSOLS.

LONDON, March 6.

Consols were quoted to-day at £53, ex interest, an advance of £1/7/6 since Thursday.

AUSTRALIAN STOCKS.

Australian Mercantile Loan and Finance, £67/15/ (2/ down on the fortnight).

City of Sydney 4 per cent. debentures, £96/10/ (10/ up on the fortnight).

Dalgety and Co., Ltd., shares, £6/5/ (1/3 up on the fortnight).

Dalgety and Co., 4 per cent. debentures, £68/5/ (F/ up on the fortnight).

Melbourne Gas 4½ per cent. debentures, £91 (5/ down on the fortnight).

Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., 5 per cent. B debentures, £79 (5/ up on the fortnight).

COMMERCIAL.

THE MARKETS.

The representatives of the manufacturers yesterday advised the distributing houses that the price of galvanised iron, plain and corrugated, had advanced £2 a ton. When the list of prices is received it will be seen whether it will be necessary to alter the distributing price. Just at present that price is governed by the fact that stocks are exceedingly short, and, indeed, in some lengths and sizes altogether unprocurable. It does not matter what grade it is as long as it is iron, the price is paid. Other metal lines were steady—household requisites showed a strong tendency to advance.

No further business was done in parcels of whitelead yesterday, though there was a sustained inquiry from Melbourne. Champions was quoted at £69, in parcels, and for distributing lots 10/ more was asked. Linseed oil was extremely firm at 6/ for first brands raw, and 6/2 for boiled. Castor oil was worth 4/7 for Australian expressed, and 4/8 for Indian expressed. Pinetree turpentine had a few sales at 4/4.

Shellac had a little business, one line of four chests changing hands at 1/10 a lb. Further sales of Gostling's whiting were made, another five tons being procured at 10 guineas. G grade rosin was quoted at £21/10/, and N grade at £23 a ton.

Tea was quiet, the inter-house business having practically finished, and all the New Zealand buying having been completed. Stocks in the hands of importers were small. A cable from Colombo stated that a little under a million pounds' weight was offered at the sale on Tuesday, with no quotable change in prices, which may be taken to mean that the market was slightly easier. Java was cabled as holding out for extreme prices, notwithstanding that the import into the United Kingdom has been prohibited.

Brewers' goods exhibited more activity than for some time past. Information from Hobart was to the effect that the hop crop would be light, the estimate of the yield being 5800 bales against an actual yield last season of 11,744 bales, and compared with the average yield of 9000 bales. Consequently prices were enhanced. Sales have been made of brewers' quality at 1/1½ c.i.f. and e. Sydney, and a more recent telegram quoted for second quality /12½ c.i.f. and e. Sydney. Kent hops had inquiry, but up to the present there has been no word of any being shipped for this market. Californian hops were quoted at 1/7 duty paid and delivered. New Zealand hops of 1916 season were obtainable at a price equal to /11 to 1/ c.i.f. and e. Sydney, but up to yesterday afternoon no business had been transacted. No English malt was on the market. Victorian malt was firmer, sales being made of Chevalier at 7/3 and of Cape at 6/3 on rail. Inquiries were made for new malt, and it was expected that the price would be /3 a bushel higher than the quotation of last season's. Owing to rust the quantity of good malting barley is much lower than was at one time estimated. Isinglass was dull, 5/ to 5/6 being asked for Penang leaf, and 4/3 to 4/6 for Brazilian lumps.

INDIAN WAR LOAN.

On the doubled export tax on jute, and based on shipments to Australia, 1916, Australia, on cornsacks, woolpacks, and branbags, will pay well over £100,000 of this; and New Zealand on the same basis, for woolpacks and cornsacks, £10,000, as the Calcutta shipper simply adds the tax to his prices. The export tax on hessian cloth, amounting to 24,000,000 yards to Australia and 4,000,000 yards to New Zealand for 1916, has also to be borne by the consumers.

AUSTRALIAN DRIED FRUITS' ASSOCIATION.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

The Australian Dried Fruits' Association has fixed the following prices for one-box lots of apricots and peaches for Melbourne, Adelaide, Sydney, or Newcastle, with additions for other ports:—Apricots four-crown 11½d, three-crown 10½d, two-crown 10d, one-crown 8½d, plain 6½d, slabs 8½d; whole apricots, four-crown 7d, three-crown 6½d, two-crown 5d. Peaches and nectarines, four-crown 8½d, three-crown 8d, two-crown 6½d, one-crown 5½d.

OVERSEA MARKET CABLES.

TIN STATISTICS.

LONDON, March 6.

Statistics of tin for February, for the previous month, and for February, 1916, are:—

	Feb., 1917. Tons.	Jan., 1917. Tons.	Feb., 1916. Tons.
Stocks	20,649	18,508	18,166
Supplies on spot or landing	2,827	2,504	974
Afloat from Australia	8,444	4,540	4,643
Deliveries	1,202	1,220	1,183

WHEAT.

CHICAGO, March 6.

Wheat is quoted—May opening 1.91¼ dollar, closing 1.88¾ dollar (6¼ cents up on Friday's closing rates); July opening 1.61¾ dollar, closing 1.58¾ dollars (1¼ cent up).

The visible supply of American wheat and of flour expressed in the equivalent of wheat is 51,945,000 bushels, compared with 52,585,000 bushels last week, and 156,273,000 bushels a year ago.

INTERSTATE MARKETS.

ADELAIDE, Wednesday.

Steady local business in wheat and flour; demand for offal quiet. Bran, about £4 net cash mills; pollard, £5/7/6 to £5/10/. Oats quiet, Algerian feed nominally 2/ f.o.b. Barley quiet, best English about 3/10 f.o.b., Cape 3/ to 3/2. Peas quiet, 5/6 to 5/9. Chaff, 65/ to 67/6 on trucks Mile End, bags included. Cornsacks, quiet, pending arrivals by incoming steamer, nominal spot value 9/. Branbags, 8/1½ to 8/3. Onions steady, £5/10/ to £6 to the market. Potatoes, £4 to £5.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

Barley, quiet, Chevalier 4/2 to 4/4, Cape 3/3 to 3/4, oats, milling, Algerians, steady, 2/3 to 2/4, feed, quiet, 2/1 to 2/2; maize, dull, 3/7 to 3/8; chaff, quiet, £3 to £3/7/6; straw, £2 to £2/2/6; potatoes, slightly better tone, Carmens £4/10/ to £5, Pinkeyes £2/10/ to £2/15/; onions, easier, Brown Spanish, £5 to £5/10/. Cornsacks, small inquiry, 9/ to 9/3; branbags, quiet, 8/1½ to 8/2 net, delivered.

MELBOURNE FRUIT MARKET.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

The following are the wholesale prices for fruit at the Western Market:—Apples, eating 3/ to 7/, cooking 3/ to 5/6; figs, 5/6 to 6/; grapes, 6/ to 10/; lemons, N.S.W. 5/ to 6/, imported 20/; oranges, N.S.W. 5/ to 7/; passionfruit, Victorian 8/ to 14/; peaches, dessert 3/ to 7/; pears, 1/6 to 4/; plums, 2/6 to 4/; quinces, 3/ to 3/6; pineapples, Queens 4/6 to 6/ per double case.

ENOGGERA STOCK SALES.

BRISBANE, Wednesday.

There were 2430 sheep penned at Enoggera to-day. The market opened at slightly enhanced figures, but as sales progressed values receded to last week's level. Crossbreds realised up to 37/9, merino wethers to 35/. There were 483 cattle yarded. The market opened from 10/ to 15/ per head above last week's rates, but afterwards eased, closing a little below previous sale currencies. Best light to medium beef made from 40/ to 42/ per 100lb, and heavy beef 38/. Bullocks sold from £10/7/6 to £17/12/6, heavy £18/1/6 to £25, cows from £7/7/6 to £14/10/.

PRODUCE.

DAIRY.

NEW-LAID EGGS.

There was a fair supply of new-laid eggs in the dairy produce section of the Sussex-street markets yesterday morning, and, as the demand was very strong, 1/6 was realised for choice. Case eggs, which were more plentiful, were not so well sought after, and in some cases agents were compelled to accept as low as 1/ for rough lots.

So long as the egg market remains steady at about 1/5 to 1/6, these prices will check any heavy withdrawals from cold storage, but should the price of new-laid be advanced a further /1 or /2 a dozen, in all probability, agents who put away stocks some time ago will find it profitable to unload cold storage eggs on the market. The effect of this would be very evident.

Sales of cheese were very satisfactory. Heavy supplies of small and inferior grades were forward, and considerable difficulty was experienced in disposing of same.

Poultry cleared at late prices.

Quotations were:—

Butter.—2/ per cwt to be added for boxes and storage. Choicest, 149/4 per cwt; packed in prints ½d per lb extra may be charged.

Eggs.—Hen, suburban, new-laid, 1/5 to 1/6; Northern River, 1/1 to 1/2; South Coast and railways, 1/1 to 1/2, rough 1/; duck eggs, new-laid, 1/4 to 1/5, case 1/ to 1/3 a dozen.

Bacon.—Sides 1/, flitches /11½, middles 1/2, shoulders /10 per lb.

Hams.—Single cloth, 1/3½; feed, 1/4 per lb.

Cheese.—Local: Matured /10 to /10½, prime /9½, large /9 per lb.

Honey.—60lb tins of choice western /5½, candied /4 to /4½ per lb, inferior no inquiry.

Lard.—Packets, /10½ to /11, bulk /10 to /10½ per lb.

Beeswax.—1/6, dark from 1/3 per lb (almost nominal).

POULTRY.

River and Railways.—Old hens, 3/ to 3/6; roosters, small 3/ to 3/6, choice 4/ to 5/; muscovy ducks, 4/6 to 5/; drakes 5/ to 6/6; English ducks and drakes, 4/ to 4/6; guineafowls, 5/ to 5/6 (nominal); pigeons, 1/ to 1/6; chickens, 1/ to 1/6 a pair.

Suburban Consignments.—Roosters, choice young to 7/6, good 5/ to 6/, medium, light, and old from 3/; hens, choice heavy to 6/6, good 5/ to 6/, medium, light, and old from 3/9; ducks, English, choice young to 6/, good 4/6 to 5/6, medium, light, and old from 3/9. Muscovy, choice young, to 5/6; good, 4/6 to 5/; medium, light, from 4/; drakes, Muscovy, young to 8/; good, 7/ to 7/6; medium, light from 6/6; turkeys, none to hand; geese, to 10/; pigeons, to 2/.

FORAGE AND GRAIN.

There was very little of interest in connection with forage and grain.

New season's maize cleared at 3/3; white found buyers at 3/5. Victorian Brown Spanish onions were 10/ weaker, and sold at £7/10/. Potatoes were unaltered.

Quotations were:—

Chaff.—Local: Wheaten, prime £4 to £4/5/, good £3/10/ to £3/15/, medium £3 to £3/5/; oaten, prime £3/10/ to £3/15/, good £3 to £3/5/ per ton, inferior chaff almost unsalable. Tasmanian: Nominal. South Australian: Nominal.

Oaten Hay.—Victorian: £5/15/. Local: £5/10/ to £6 per ton.

Oats.—Tasmanian Giants "A" grade 3/ to 3/1, "B" grade 2/11; Algerian, feed 2/6 to 2/7, milling 2/7 to 2/8, seed 2/9 to 2/11 a bushel.

Lucerne Hay.—Prime green, £3; dry, stacked, £2 to £2/10/, inferior and rain-washed, £1/10/ a ton.

Derrick Straw.—Tasmanian: Wheaten, £3/10/; oaten, £3/7/6 a ton.

Broom Millet.—Prime long hurl, £35; inferior from £10 a ton.

Peas.—Grey, 7/6 to 7/9 a bushel; blue, 10/ to 11/ a bushel.

Maize.—Prime dry yellow, 3/3; weevily, 3/; white, 3/5 to 3/6 a bushel.

Onions.—Victorian: Brown Spanish, £7/10/ a ton.

Potatoes.—Tasmanian Redskins, £7; Brownells, £6/10/; Bismarcks, £5/10/; Clarence River, £3/10/; Victorian Pinkeyes, £4 to £4/5/ per ton.

Firewood.—Boxwood, choice 22/, good 19/ to 20/; stringbark, 18/ to 20/9; ironbark, 14/ to 16/6; mixed wood, 13/6 to 16/; bakers' wood, best 18/, good 17/, inferior 12/ to 15/ a ton.

RAILWAY MARKET.

The commencement of sales was delayed at Alexandria yesterday, owing to the late arrival of buyers. Values were not so firm as on Tuesday, although the supply was smaller. Oaten chaff, which comprised the bulk of the yarding, was sold at from 3/2 to 4/6, while wheaten and lucerne chaff were disposed of at 4/8 and 4/3 respectively. The highest price obtained for lucerne hay was 4/3, a fall of /11 on the price obtained the previous day. No vegetables were available, and only three trucks are manifested to arrive for to-day's sale.

The yarding included 51 trucks of forage, 12 of grain; while the manifest included 88 trucks of forage, 18 of grain, and 3 of vegetables.

The following sales were effected:—

Wheaten Chaff.—Mulcahy, Gundibindyal (19857), 3/7; Cameron and Mitchell, Ganmain (6323), 4/8; O'Brien, Brushwood (14295), 4/6; Truman, Bathurst (15186), 3/6; (1549), 2/11; Burden, Kelso (11966), 3/; ex Wangoola (17407), 4/3; Lyons and Walker, Mandurama (16482), 4/; Barney, Grenfell (19831), 3/6 per cwt.

Oaten Chaff.—Ex Oolong (16384), 4/; Pritchard, Ganmain (6365), 4/6; ex Junee (10064), 3/3; Cameron and Mitchell, Marrar (13244), 4/6; ex Brushwood (1201), mixed with wheaten, 4/; Harrison, Warrangong (10042), 4/3; ex Mulgrave (13019), 3/3; (6955), 3/2; Berry, Brewongle (1019), 3/6; Gunning, Kelso (18208), 4/; ex Yanco (5061), 3/9; Barney, Grenfell (16569), 3/7; Brill, Ganmain (6281), 4/ per cwt.

Lucerne Chaff.—Knott, Tamworth (17890), 4/1; Roth, Mudgee (19864), 4/3, balance 2 bags dust, 8/6 per cwt.

Lucerne Hay.—Caughey, Mudgee (16326), part 4/3; Smith, Mudgee (11802), 3/9 per cwt.

FRUIT MARKET.

Moderate supplies of fruit were on hand, and business was quiet. The market was glutted with small and inferior grades of lemons, which were practically unsalable.

Quotations were:—

Oranges.—Second crop, choice 3/6 to 4/, medium 2/, small and inferior unsalable. American navel, 17/ to 18/ per bushel-case.

Lemons.—Choice 4/, medium 2/ to 2/6 a bushel-case, small or inferior practically unsalable.

Apples.—Local: Desert, extra choice 10/, choice 8/ to 9/, medium 5/ to 6/, small 3/; cooking, choice 4/, medium 3/6, small 2/ per bushel-case.

Mandarins.—Choice 7/ to 8/, medium 3/ to 4/, small 1/6 to 2/ a bushel-case.

Strawberries.—Local: 16/ to 18/ a dozen punnets.

Plums.—Light and dark, 2/ to 4/; special varieties, Pond seedlings and Presidents, 5/ to 6/, medium 3/6 to 4/ half-bushel case. Victorian: Choice 4/ to 4/6, medium 2/ to 3/ per half-bushel case.

Peaches.—Choice 4/ to 4/6, medium 2/6 per half-bushel case, small 2/ to 4/ per bushel-case. Victorian: Choice 7/ to 8/, medium and small 5/ to 6/ per bushel-case.

Passionfruit.—Choice 5/6, medium 2/ to 2/6 per half-bushel case, small unsalable.

Quinces.—Local, 2/6 to 4/ a bushel-case.

Pineapples.—Queens, choice 5/ to 7/; Ripleys and Commons, 4/ to 6/ a case.

Pears.—Local: Dessert, choice 5/ to 6/, medium 3/ to 4/ per bushel-case, small or rough unsalable; cooking, 1/6 to 2/6; Victorian, choice 6/ to 7/, overripe 2/ to 3/ per bushel-case.

Bananas.—Tweed River, 6/ to 8/, choice 12/; Queensland, 5/ to 8/, choice 9/ to 10/ a case. Fiji, 4/6 to 8/ a bunch, 16/ to 17/6 a case. G.M.'s, 6/ to 9/ a bunch, 18/ to 19/ a case.

Grapes.—Black Hamburg, 5/ to 5/6; Muscatels, 7/ to 9/, medium 4/ to 6/.

CALF SALES.

A supply of 230 calves, consisting of a larger representation of heavy sorts and a moderate showing of bobbies, was yarded at Homebush Bay yesterday. The usual attendance of buyers was present, but competition was limited, and the high rates of last week were lost. Prices were somewhat lower throughout.

Quotations were:—

Yearlings: Prime, to £8/10/; medium, from £5/10/ to £6/10/.

Vealers: Prime, £5 to £6; good, £4/5/ to £4/15/; medium, £3/10/ to £4; light, £2/15/ to £3/5/; plain, from £2.

Bobbies: Heavy, £2/10/ to £3; good, £2 to £2/8/; light, £1/10/ to £1/18/; small and inferior, from £1/5/.

STOCK TRUCKINGS.

Trucks ordered for forthcoming stock sales were:—March 12.—54 sheep and 94 cattle waggons. March 15.—106 sheep and 95 cattle waggons.

MINING.

WESTONIA STOCKS WEAKER.

Westonia stocks were weak yesterday. Edna May Centrals sold at from 18/3 to 18/6; Consols, cash, at 13/3, and later at 12/9. Business was done in Edna May Deeps at 7/4½. Amongst the copper ventures, Hampdens were cheaper at 31/4½. Silver and tin scrip was firm.

THE SHARE MARKET.

Sydney Stock Exchange.—The closing quotations were:—

	Buyers. £ s d	Sellers. £ s d
COPPER.		
Hampden-Cloncurry, paid	1 11 3	1 11 9
Mount Lyell	—	1 7 3
Mount Morgan	1 11 6	—
St. Mungo	—	0 2 6
Wallaroo and Moonta	2 15 6	2 16 6
TIN.		
Carpathia, paid	0 1 0	0 3 0
Vegetable Creek	0 4 3	0 4 6
Tin.—Dredging and Sluicing.		
Larut Tin	1 9 6	1 9 9
Ratrut Basin	0 15 9	0 16 0
Tongkah Harbour Tin	1 6 9	1 8 0
Trong	0 11 9	0 12 0
SILVER.		
New South Wales, etc.		
Amalgamated Zinc	—	1 8 6
British Broken Hill (old)	1 7 7½	1 8 0
Broken Hill Proprietary	2 2 0	2 3 0
B.H. Junction, paid	0 5 9	0 6 1
Ditto, con.	0 4 10	0 4 11
B.H. Junction North	0 8 6	0 8 7
B.H. North	2 9 0	—
B.H. South	—	5 1 0
C.S.A. Mines, paid	0 14 6	—
New Burragorang	0 5 9	0 5 11
Sulphide Corporation, ord.	1 0 0	—
Zinc Corporation, ord.	0 15 0	0 15 6
GOLD.		
New South Wales, etc.		
Mount David	0 0 2	0 0 5
Occidental	—	0 4 0
Ditto, con.	—	0 2 11
Gold.—Dredging and Sluicing.		
Rimu No. 1	—	0 13 0
Queensland.		
Charters Towers, etc.		
Victory	0 0 3½	0 0 7½
Victoria.		
Morning Star, cont.	—	0 8 9
Western Australia.		
Black Range West, paid	0 3 3	0 3 9
Edna May Central	0 18 3	0 18 9
Ditto, Consols, paid	0 14 0	0 15 0
Ditto, con.	0 12 9	0 12 10½
Ditto, Deep	0 7 3	0 7 6
Great Boulder	0 10 3	0 10 9
Miscellaneous.		
Boyd's Molybdenite	—	0 7 6
Kirk and Wade's Molybdenite	—	0 7 6

STOCK EXCHANGE SALES.

The following sales were recorded:—

Copper.—Mount Lyell, six weeks, 27/; Hampden, 31/6, 31/4½.

Silver.—B.H. British, old, 27/9; three months, 28/; B.H. Junction North, 8/7.

Gold.—Edna May Central, 18/3, 18/9, 18/4½, 18/6, 6 weeks 18/6; E. M. Consolidated, contg., six weeks, 12/6; cash, 13/3, 13/1½; six weeks, (S.O.), 12/10½; cash, 12/10½, 12/9; six weeks (S.O.), 12/9; con., 12/10½; Edna May Deep, 7/4½.

Tin.—Kampong (unlisted), 33/; Kamunting (unlisted), 23/6; Larut, 29/6, 29/6; Ratrut, 16/.

LONDON SHARE MARKET.

LONDON, March 6.

On the Stock Exchange to-day B.H. North scrip was quoted, b 46/6, s 47/6.

NOTES.

During December the dredges of the Kampong Kamunting Company ran 1181 hours, and treated 120,000 cubic yards, yielding 68 tons of tin oxide.

This product when sold realised £6877, and the working costs, exclusive of depreciation and Sydney office expenses, amounted to £2038, or 2.57d per cubic yard. Both dredges are in good order, and working well. No. 1 dredge has now entered a series of large lombongs, where it was not practicable to bore hence the value of this portion is unknown, and it is expected to be poor, which will affect the next two months' returns.

A return prepared by the Queensland Department of Mines shows that the yield of gold in Queensland during February, 1917, was 14,866oz valued at £631,147, representing a decrease in comparison with the corresponding month of last year of 3713oz, valued at £15,772. The yield for the first two months of the calendar year was 26,640oz, valued at £113,159, representing a decrease in comparison with the corresponding period of last year of 7653oz, valued at £32,508.

During last month Charters Towers made no calls, and paid dividends amounting to £2225. Croydon called up £233, but paid no dividends. Gympie called up £1987, and paid £2094 in dividends. Mount Morgan made no calls, and paid £50,000 in dividends.

During last month 11,509 tons of stone were crushed in Queensland for the following yields:—Mill gold, 5257oz; gold won by cyanide process, 932oz; gold from concentrates, 631oz; gold from copper ores, 7756oz; and alluvial gold, 197oz. The yield of gold from Charters Towers was 3018oz, Gympie 3059oz, and Mount Morgan 7639oz.

DEEBOOK DREDGING COMPANY.

A report furnished by the manager of the Deebook Dredging Company covers the six months ended November 30, 1916. The report states:—"During the period under review No. 2 dredge worked 3275 hours, and treated 320,476 cubic yards of ground (an average of 97.9 cubic yards per working hour), for the return of 134 tons 14cwt 3qrs 4lb of tin oxide, showing that the average ground values were lbs 0.913 per cubic yard. The proceeds from the tin ore after payment of royalty amounted to £13,514, an average of £100 per ton. The dredge is running well, and in good repair, except for the screen roller path, and this will have to be renewed shortly. The ground treated was of a free nature, carrying a lot of sand; the launders were inclined to overload, consequently the bucket speed had to be reduced considerably, and this reduced the yardage treated per hour, and put up the costs per cubic yard, but we were able to save a maximum amount of tin. Had the dredge run at her usual speed, a lot of tin would have gone over the stern, because much more water would have had to be used to wash the sand away. The dredge is now in a poor piece of ground, which boring shows to be worth 5oz per cubic yard; it will take about four weeks to cut through this piece, but then we will be on 13oz ground for several months; after that we should not be on less than 15oz ground for a long time. The enclosed plan plainly shows the future ground to be worked by this dredge."

INTERSTATE EXCHANGES.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

To-day's sales included:—

Silver.—Amalgamated Zinc, 27/9, 27/6; Broken Hill Proprietary, 43/1½, 43/; ditto, 6 weeks, 43/, 42/10½; Junction North, 8/5; North Brokens, 49/, 48/9.

Copper.—Hampden, 31/4½, 31/1½; Mt. Lyell, 26/9; ditto, Blocks, 4/7, 4/8, 4/8, 4/6; Tas. and Crown, 1/.

Tin.—Tongkah Harbour, 27/.

Gold.—Edna May Barrier, 4/8, 4/6, 4/7; Central, 18/6; Consols, 12/, 13/, 12/5; ditto, 6 weeks, 12/11; Deeps, 7/, 7/3, 7/2, 7/6, 7/5; ditto 6 weeks, 7/5; Empress, /6; Nullagine, 1/10; Riverina South, 3/3; Cohen's Long Tunnel, /8; Langi Logan South, 2/9, 2/6; New Langi, 4/3, 4/4, 4/.

ARTICLED CLERKS' EXAMINATIONS

The following candidates were successful at the recent examination in intermediate law. Their names are placed in order of merit:—M. V. S. Dufty, A. A. Hamilton, aeq.; H. J. Baker, K. E. Whitehead; F. C. Kirkpatrick, F. A. Lees, aeq.

If you cannot sleep a few doses of Clements Tonic taken regularly for a few days will banish insomnia, and bring healthful, refreshing sleep. Try it. All chemists.—Advt.

METHODIST CONFERENCE.

GAMBLING EVIL.

TOTALISATOR CONDEMNED.

The Methodist Conference was continued yesterday.

The various city missions presented reports of their work during the year. The Rev. V. Cock stated that a friend of the Newcastle mission had contributed £2000 towards reducing the debt on that mission, conditionally upon £1000 being contributed otherwise. This condition had been complied with, and the whole £3000 reduction effected.

Mr. G. J. Waterhouse reported the sale of property known as the "Home of Rest," at Woodford, that had been dedicated as a rest home for ministers. A more convenient site had been purchased, and premises, to be devoted to the same object, were to be erected.

It was decided to urge that services be arranged in all Methodist Churches on Good Friday.

A motion was carried, rejoicing in the benefit derived from the earlier closing of liquor bars, and urging that Methodists everywhere should strive to secure the permanence of the reform when the second referendum is taken. The conference held that the liquor question could only be permanently and effectively dealt with by the adoption of State and Commonwealth prohibition, in regard both to the manufacture and sale of intoxicants, whilst advising its people to support all palliative measures. It was also decided to appeal to the authorities for the application of prohibition of the traffic in alcohol for the period of the war and six months after. It was decided to present these matters to the proper State and Federal authorities by deputation.

A discussion took place upon the legalising of the totalisator, and other forms of gambling.

The Rev. Wm. Davies spoke of the gambling in connection with patriotic and philanthropic efforts, referring to the fact that £600 had been paid over as the result of open gambling by means of roulette tables, etc., in the streets of Newcastle.

The Rev. Harold Wheen referred to raffles held in connection with State schools, and urged that where anything of the kind happened immediate notice be given to the authorities of the Education Department. He understood that instructions prohibiting this practice had been issued by the Director of Education.

It was resolved that "this conference absolutely condemns the passing of a bill to legalise the totalisator in New South Wales, which, while pretending to regulate, will only perpetuate and intensify the evil. It expresses its strongest condemnation of raffles, art unions, and every other form of gambling, and calls upon Methodists to discountenance these practices."

A resolution, approving of the appointment of a Federal censor board for film pictures, was carried; and also that a communication be sent, urging that board to exercise its functions with special regard to eliminating pictures calculated to affect injuriously the morals of the young.

Discussion occurred on recommendations of the committee respecting venereal diseases. It was resolved.—"Whilst supporting in every way the efforts of the legislature and the medical faculty in their efforts to eradicate the disease, it holds that the primary cause is a widespread moral laxity, which can only be cured by moral means." A further resolution urged that parents should instruct children concerning the moral and physical dangers in social vice.

It was decided that the Revs. B. Lane, G. A. Reeve, Gustavus Thompson, and Edward Youngman, become supernumeraries. The Revs. S. J. Gibson and F. W. Roberts were made supernumerary ministers for one year. A similar resolution was carried respecting the Rev. J. B. Penman. The resignation of the Rev. V. C. Bell was received and accepted with regret. The Rev. W. Hessell Hall tendered his resignation, which was received. The Rev. B. Linden Webb was left without pastoral charge for one year, at his own request.

On the motion of Dr. M'Lelland, the question of closing Leigh College was reopened. The Rev. W. E. Bennett, principal of the college, moved the recision of the vote taken at a preceding session in favour of closing the college for one year. The conference divided on the question, and by a vote of 109 to 81 refused to reconsider the vote.

The stations were amended as follows:—Central Mission second, Rev. S. Doust; Drummoyne, W. E. Bennett; Rockdale, F. E. Fletcher, M.A.; Kogarah, A. E. Townsend; Dural, G. Trevor Hughes; Hawkesbury, Wm. Davies; Woodford, T. Parker; Wyong, H. E. Burrowes; Wollongong, second, S. Fleming; Milton, Peter Williams; Spring Hill, P. O. Davis; Narromine, W. E. Wood; Far West, G. R. Holland, E. Dickard, and O. Howard; Coonamble, N. Biddle; Gilgandra, W. H. Butler; Cessnock, W. T. Dyer; Morpeth, F. W. Walker; Newcastle, second, M. Boyer; Hamilton, second, L. R. Bensley; Lambton, H. E. Baines; Dungog, second, J. S. Paine; Toronto, J. B. Penman; Wallamba, E. Wilkinson; Armidale, H. E. Andrews; Werris Creek, H. Haines; Narrabri, H. Rowe; Moree, D. Weatherall; Nambucca, A. G. Whitten; Lismore, R. J. Murray and E. E. Hynes; Ballina, second, Kay Mason; Coraki, S. W. M'Kibbin; Wagga Wagga, H. Pennington; Adelong, A. T. Newton; Cootamundra, W. Deane; Ariah Park, A. J. Cutler; Ardlethan, G. A. Bailey; Hay, G. J. Pearson; Corowa, G. Whalan; Griffith, P. H. Curtis; Riverina Mission, L. K. Mills.

BIBLE SOCIETY.

At the conference of the British and Foreign Bible Society yesterday Mr. James B. Nicholson, treasurer, who presided, stated that the previous day a speaker made a strong point against the action of the society in opening a depot for the sale of Scriptures, and particularly because they sold lower-priced books at low prices. It would, said the chairman, be outrageous to suggest that they were going throughout the country getting subscriptions in order that Sydney people, who were well able to pay for the Scriptures, should get them at such low prices. They considered that it would be well in order to circulate the Scriptures that they should have a depot full of Testaments, Gospels, and Bibles, so as to make people in passing feel that they would like to give a copy to their friends. Primarily they owed this movement to a friend, who offered to bear any loss, and none of the cost was borne out of the ordinary subscriptions to the society. Happily, there had been no loss, the profit on the better books having made up for the expense incurred in selling the cheaper ones at cost price. The sale of these Scriptures at low prices had justified itself, inasmuch as it had stimulated the demand, and the sale had increased threefold since the establishment of the depot. The chairman, in referring to the future of the society, stated that in consequence of the redistribution of wealth brought about by the war the society would have to look not only to the wealthy for subscriptions, but also to the wage-earners for their sixpences, shillings, and half-crowns.

An interesting paper was given by the Rev. J. H. Sexton, secretary of the South Australian auxiliary of the society, on the work of the society, particularly in the East, where he had travelled. He emphasised that in some parts, where the people refused to receive missionaries, it was possible to introduce the Bible without comment, and a great deal of good was done in this way.

LICENSED VICTUALLERS.

The annual meeting of the United Licensed Victuallers' Association of New South Wales was held in the I.O.O.F. Temple, Elizabeth-street, Sydney, on Tuesday night. The president (Mr. J. T. Donnison) occupied the chair, and there was a large attendance of members. The annual report of the committee, and the financial statements, which showed the association to be in a healthy position, were adopted. The election of officers was announced by the returning officer, as follows:—Vice-presidents, Messrs. P. G. Lynch, J. H. Kelly, T. H. Maguire, and J. W. Cockbaine; hon. treasurer, Mr. W. Northam; committee, Messrs. H. Benham, G. A. Brown, W. A. Collie, M. Bourke, H. M'Grade, P. Quinn, W. Holdsworth, H. T. Ritchard, M. Pryke, and A. F. Nelson. Mr. J. T. Rainbow was declared elected president.

In vacating the chair, Mr. Donnison spoke with reference to the continuance of the calamitous crisis in Europe, and trusted that the next annual meeting would see the end of the struggle with victory resting on the side of Great Britain and her allies.

LATE MR. W. H. CORDEAUX.

Mr. W. H. Cordeaux, who for nearly 30 years was manager of the Pitt and Bathurst streets branch of the Commercial Banking Company of Sydney, died of pneumonia at a private hospital on Sunday, after a brief illness. He was the eldest son of the late Mr. W. J. Cordeaux, of Bendooley, Berrima, one of the pioneers of the district. The remains were interred at Berrima in the family vault on Tuesday, in the presence of a large gathering, including Messrs. P. C. and A. E. Cordeaux (brothers), S. R. Dobbie (brother-in-law), W. B. Tiley, G. Wilkinson, Stuart, and Young (representing the bank), H. M. Oxley, Dr. Throsby, Gavin George, Herbert Clark, David Walker, A. B. Carr, A. L. Parker, McEvoy, R. McHardy, I. Armfield, and S. Hain (Pitt, Son, and Badgery, Ltd.).

PATRIOTIC FUNDS.

BELGIAN FUND.

M. Watteeuw, Consul for Belgium, 14 Castlereagh-street, advises the receipt of the following New South Wales further donations:—Mr. O. E. Harper, £3/2/; employees of Nock and Kirby, Ltd. (weekly), £4/9/4; residents of Kenthurst (monthly), £3/14/; Mrs. Russell Gibson, £5/10/; Miss A. Ware, £2; Maurice Moran, (27th instalment), £2/2/; P. H. (further), £5; staff and employees S. T. Leigh and Co. (117th weekly contribution, total to date £1429/3/8), £11/3/9; Distressed National Relief Fund, Robertson, £3/0/6; staff and employees S. T. Leigh and Co. (118th weekly contribution, total to date £1440/10/), £11/6/4; Coonabarabran Comforts Fund, £8; Wellington, N.S.W. Belgian Relief Fund, £17; "Nor'-West" (third contribution), £10; Dr. T. W. Lee and family (monthly), £4; Walter C. Watt (monthly), £10; Mrs. Cook, Chatswood), £2, and other sums. Total, £220,281/4/7.

AIR SQUADRONS' FUND.

Riverina Battleplane.—Being subscribed by residents of Riverina.—Previously acknowledged, £1,134/13/; Narrandera Branch, list No. 12, per W. W. Hoar: Lincoln and Co. and T. Bynon (river excursion), Narrandera, £5; W. N. Sendall, £5/5/; and other sums. Total to date, £1,152/14/6.

The total amount subscribed so far to the various battleplanes is £40,412/13/. Cheques should be endorsed, Treasurer, Australian Air Squadrons' Fund, together with name and number of craft subscribed to. The Union Bank in the capital of each State will publish weekly all State subscriptions, and the hon. treasurer, the manager of the Union Bank, Sydney, will publish in addition the totals for each State.

FOOD FUND.

It has been decided by the council of the Sydney Chamber of Commerce that the Food Fund be closed, and the remaining sums at present in hand be expended in accordance with the powers of the association, in sending further shipments of Australian products to London.

OLD GOLD FUND.

Old jewellery and gold and silver articles of any description should be sent to the head depot, City Mutual-chambers, 62 Hunter-street, Sydney, or can be left at any country or suburban branch of the Bank of New South Wales, or Commercial Banking Company of Sydney.

SOLDIERS' ENTERTAINMENTS.

Amount previously acknowledged, £784/9/10/; Young Men's Christian Association, £12; Garrison Institute of N.S.W., £10; Salvation Army, £5; General H. Finn, £2/2/; Garrison Institute of N.S.W., £10; Young Men's Christian Association, £14/16/10; Methodist Church of N.S.W., £5; amounts under £2, £2/12/10. Total, £796/1/6.

SERVIAN AND MONTENEGRIN RELIEF.

The Under-Secretary, the Treasury, acknowledges the receipt of the following further subscriptions to the Servian and Montenegrin Relief Fund:—Sydney and Pyrmont salaried staff of the Colonial Sugar Refining Co., Ltd. (further contribution), £5; Dunbar station employees (further contribution, per Hay Patriotic Fund), £5/12/; residents of Lautoka, Fiji (per F. E. Allen, Fiji), £47/10/6; Distressed Nations Relief Fund, Robertson (further contribution), £3/0/6; Homebush Methodist Ladies' Church Aid (further contribution), £3/2/6; previously acknowledged (including amounts per Allies' Day Fund), £50,832/7/1. And other sums. Total, £50,900/17/4.

TOBACCO FUND.

The Southern Cross Tobacco Fund (Overseas Club) acknowledges receipt of the following New South Wales collections:—Previously acknowledged, £2192/3/8; Darling Empire League, Wilcannia, £101/10/; J. Machin, Gilgandra, £7/16/; Jas. Johnston, Sydney, £5/12/; W. Milling, Concord, £3/11/; J. Elsley, Curlewis, £3/8/6; Government Savings Bank, Singleton, £3/5/; Howard Smith, Ltd., Sydney, £3; Mrs. J. Evans, Walcha, £2/7/9; Girls' Patriotic League, Hillgrove, £2/5/; Mrs. C. Burrowes, Holbrook, £2; and other sums.

WAR QUESTIONS.

"F.B."—The address should read:—No. 2572, Pte. M. B——, 57th Battalion, 5th Australian Divisional Base Details, care of Australian Post Office, Section 17, Abroad. You must write every word in full.

"Inquirer" (Marrickville).—The address you quote is correct.

"Lame."—An officer's wife is not entitled to the separation allowance, neither is her son. Once he is drawing over 10/ a day as a non-commissioned officer the separation allowance automatically stops.

"Chum" (Drake).—The nearest doctor who is attached to the local recruiting staff can give you all particulars.

"Justice" (Burwood).—Of course you are entitled to it; but to make assurance doubly sure you should write to him and tell him to make a will leaving it and his military pay to you in case of accidents.

"H.D." (Camperdown).—The address of the secretary is 44 Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

"Four Women Grafters."—The chairman of the State Recruiting Committee explained the matter fully in the columns of the "Herald" last week.

"E.H.B." (Chatswood).—The address you quote is correct.

"Knitter" (Tumbarumba).—Your best plan would be to communicate with the Red Cross Information Bureau, 115 Pitt-street, but give the fullest particulars, such as his number, name, etc.

"Gallipoli" (Gunnedah).—You should write, giving the deceased soldier's number, name, rank, etc., to the Deputy Commissioner of Pensions, 17 Bligh-street, Sydney.

"Pro Forma" (Enmore).—The first address should read:—

No. 4244, Sergt. F. C. ——,
4th Battalion,
Australian Imperial Force,
Abroad.

and the second one—

No. ——, Corporal J. H. ——,
55th Battalion,
Australian Imperial Force,
Abroad.

"A.W." (Federal Land Tax, Sydney).—Give the fullest information to the Base Records Office, Melbourne.

"Ruby" (Armidale).—Refer to Expeditionary Paymaster, Victoria Barracks.

"M.M." (Glebe).—You would have a claim for pension if his next-of-kin, but if he is of age he can dispose of money due to him as he likes. If you are not solely dependent on him he can make an allotment to whom he chooses.

"R.W." (Summer Hill).—It is not taxed at the other end.

"J.G." (Young).—You can cut out the brigade and the words "On Active Service." The rest of the address must be written in full.

"Soldier's Mother" (North Ryde).—There are for most soldiers, but unless you give us the name of his battalion we are helpless.

"L.S." (Marrickville).—The address should be: "No. ——, rank, name, Australian General Base Depot, care of Australian Post Office, Section 17, Abroad." Every word must be written in full.

"Anxious Mother" (Auburn).—The address is No. 2383, Pte. L. H——, 4th Infantry Battalion, Australian Imperial Force, Abroad. Pay no attention to the addresses he sends you.

"L.E." (Marrickville).—The pensions are for captain's widow £3/17/6 per fortnight, and for lieutenant's, £3/10/ per fortnight, with £13 per annum for each child under 16.

"Anxious Mother" (Glebe).—The rumour is not correct. If you know who started it you should give the name and address of the persons to the Provost-Marshal, Victoria Barracks, immediately.

"A.B." (Leichhardt).—The address is quite correct, but write "Australian Army Medical Corps" in full. Initials must not be used.

"Anzac" (Rooty Hill).—The address given by your friend is not correct. It should be: No. —, Trooper ——, 6th Light Horse Regiment, Australian Imperial Force, Abroad.

ASCOT RACING CLUB.

Subjoined are the weights for the pony and galloway meeting on Saturday next:—

Welter Handicap, 4f.—Hot Air, 9st 10lb; Crusoot, 9st 7lb; Diablerie, 9st 3lb; Fieldmoore, 8st 10lb; Kiora Lass, 8st 7lb; Happy Lady, 8st 7lb; War Queen, 8st 7lb; Kingfield, 8st 7lb; Best Scot, 8st 5lb; Avlona, 8st 5lb; Lord Liddell, 8st 5lb; Euphorion King, 8st 4lb; Kismet, 8st 4lb; Recaller, 8st 5lb; Haidee Darling, 8st 3lb; Merv Blend, 8st 3lb; Master Mercer, 8st 1lb; Rapido, 8st 1lb; Leigh, 8st 1lb; Miss Petrillo, 8st 1lb; Royal Flora, 8st; Upalla, 8st; Comus, 8st; Ida Jarvis, 8st; Euchulla, 8st; Mount Woolmar, 8st; Balios, 8st; Mountain Prince, 8st; Fairy Lad, 8st; Murillo Boy, 8st; Kingo Lad, 8st; Smart Galloper, 8st; Prince Simmer, 8st; Tialgai, 8st.

Maiden Handicap, 6f.—Eulowirri, 9st; Merv Dell, 8st 3lb; Paspalene, 8st 2lb; Parant, 7st 12lb; Sir Frit, 7st 11lb; Lockhart, 7st 10lb; Head Master, 7st 9lb; Jewell Boy, 7st 9lb; Southern Lad, 7st 5lb; Loftus, 7st 5lb; Lady Linnett, 7st 4lb; Golden Gale, 7st 4lb; Lynwood, 7st 4lb; Master Burnes, 7st 3lb; Ovelller, 7st 3lb; Acorn Lass, 7st 3lb; Sweet Nell, 7st 3lb; Primefield, 7st 3lb; Coolamble, 7st 3lb; Zulu Field, 7st 3lb.

Fourteen-one Handicap, 5½f.—Malena, 8st 10lb; Little Iris, 8st 9lb; Amy Leon, 8st 7lb; Footprint, 8st 4lb; Cool Jim, 8st 2lb; Green Stripe, 8st; Careymoore, 8st; Courtfield, 7st 12lb; Dalbean, 7st 10lb; Barbaradale, 7st 7lb; Landscape, 7st 3lb; Little Jack, 7st 3lb; Secrete, 7st 3lb.

Flying Handicap, 6f.—Flambard, 9st 8lb; Diablerie, 8st 6lb; Fieldmoore, 8st; Ganister, 8st; Fizzing, 8st; Effingham, 7st 12lb; Vocalist, 7st 10lb; Happy Lady, 7st 9lb; Avlona, 7st 9lb; Canley, 7st 7lb; Recaller, 7st 7lb; Kismet, 7st 6lb; Culma, 7st 5lb; Clarence, 7st 5lb; Turco, 7st 4lb; Ida Jarvis, 7st 3lb; Clanfera, 7st 3lb; Warman, 7st 3lb; Harbour, 7st 3lb; Zonam, 7st 3lb; Karool, 7st 3lb; Balios, 7st 3lb; Booringa Maid, 7st 3lb; Mervena, 7st 3lb.

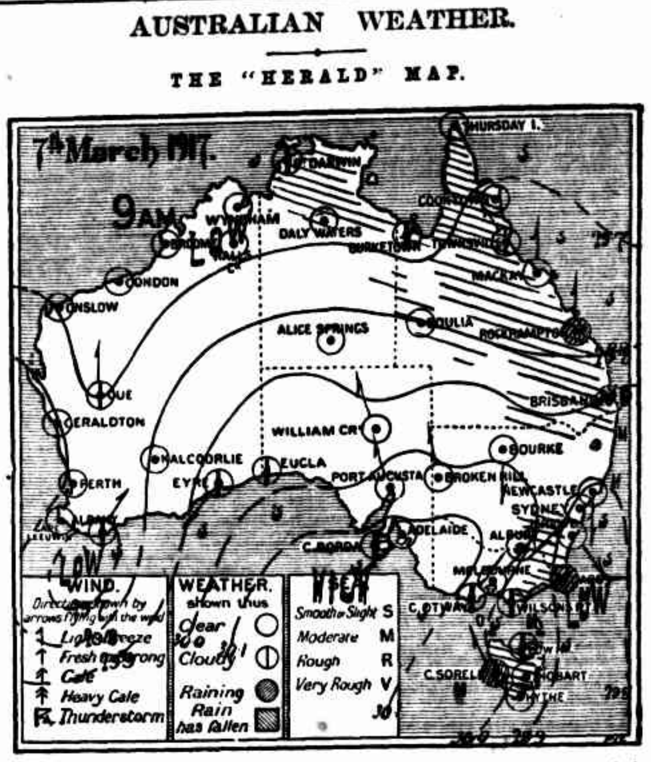
Encourage Stakes, 4f.—Some Boy, 8st 10lb; Miss Arina, 8st 7lb; Hughesilier, 8st 2lb; Moriarty, 8st 2lb; Dotsie Howlong, 8st 2lb; Fugle Lad, 7st 11lb; Watchful Maid, 7st 10lb; Pathscre, 7st 10lb; Gold Heiress, 7st 10lb; True Esther, 7st 9lb; Zolos, 7st 9lb; Nellie Wrathall, 7st 9lb; Inverkip, 7st 9lb; Miss Francis, 7st 8lb; Larinot, 7st 7lb; Pusady, 7st 7lb; Lindamere, 7st 6lb; Larry Field, 7st 5lb; Your Palm, 7st 5lb; Fireplay, 7st 5lb; Selmoor, 7st 5lb; Well Fame, 7st 5lb; Gold Par, 7st 4lb; Star of Colours, 7st 4lb; Foreign Lady, 7st 3lb; Thelma Field, 7st 3lb; St. Era, 7st 3lb; Lady Senaria, 7st 3lb; Brewer's Bond, 7st 3lb; Miss Brew, 7st 3lb; Broma, 7st 3lb; Kell, 7st 3lb; Lady Haven, 7st 3lb; White Heart, 7st 3lb; Plain Iris, 7st 3lb; Miss Joey, 7st 3lb; Munni, 7st 3lb; Electric Light, 7st 3lb; Miss Sivori, 7st 3lb; Maltster Maid, 7st 3lb.

Fourteen-two Handicap, 4f.—Well Dressed, 10st 6lb; Carenot, 9st 9lb; Moorefield Lass, 9st 8lb; Siege Queen, 9st 6lb; Melton Maid, 8st 10lb; Lady Elysian, 8st 7lb; Pious John, 8st 7lb; Why Why, 8st 2lb; Bonnie Prudence, 8st; Bigal, 7st 12lb; Lily Aymer, 7st 12lb; Madam Rorie, 7st 11lb; Duke Merv, 7st 11lb; Lord Barcaldine, 7st 10lb; Clysmic, 7st 10lb; My Delight, 7st 10lb; Miss Benita, 7st 8lb; Plantrose, 7st 7lb; All There, 7st 5lb; Moorebery, 7st 5lb; Farmer, 7st 5lb; Master Wally, 7st 5lb; Little Merv, 7st 4lb; Volment, 7st 3lb; Howard Lass, 7st 3lb; Planity, 7st 3lb; Star Royal, 7st 3lb; Chetland, 7st 3lb; Lyndsay, 7st 3lb; Mooreland, 7st 3lb; Miss Zythos, 7st 3lb; Wanken Hill, 7st 3lb; Malvana, 7st 3lb; Booree Boy, 7st 3lb; Grand Back, 7st 3lb; Flashfield, 7st 3lb; S.R., 7st 3lb; Walk Phast, 7st 3lb; Lady Bell, 7st 3lb; Jean S., 7st 3lb.

Ascot Handicap, 1m.—Benrohan, 8st 4lb; My Peggy, 8st 3lb; Canister, 8st; Lovescre, 7st 12lb; Maltasia, 7st 10lb; Prompt, 7st 7lb; Waugoola, 7st 3lb; Mirran, 7st 3lb; Miss Petrillo, 7st 3lb; Lumana, 7st 3lb; Booree Goya, 7st 3lb; Alwyn, 7st 3lb; Rosa, 7st 3lb.

AUSTRALIAN WEATHER.

THE "HERALD" MAP.



The high pressure over the Tasman Sea has only moved a few miles eastward during the 24 hours ended 9 a.m. Wednesday. It is still centred over New Zealand, and maintains the same barometric values as on Tuesday.

The Antarctic disturbance has moved northwards a little, and now extends along our coast and as far north as Sydney.

The monsoonal depression is still active over Queensland, and has been responsible for further heavy rains over the central parts, Winton reporting 346 points.

This depression extends right across the northern half of the continent, and at 9 a.m. on Wednesday it showed cyclonic characteristics in the southern part of West Australia. The high pressure has increased slightly in energy since Tuesday, and at present covers our south-western districts and the greater part of Victoria and South Australia.

The Antarctic disturbance should be productive of a cool southerly change along our coast, and also over the greater part of the State during the 24 hours ended at 9 o'clock this morning.

Further thunderstorms may be expected in the NE, but otherwise fine weather should rule, with the exception of some showers on the South Coast.

Ocean Forecast.—South-east gales on the central and south Queensland coast; southerly gales on the New South Wales coast; smooth to moderate elsewhere. No data from the north-west coast.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS.

Commonwealth Weather Bureau, Wednesday.

SYDNEY RAINFALL.

Average annual for 58 years, 4801 points.

Average for 59 years, from January 1 to end of February, 797 points.

Total from January 1, 1917, to date, 837 points.

Total for corresponding period of 1916, 578 points.

Barometers: 9 a.m. 29.900, 3 p.m. 29.753, 9 p.m. 29.846.

Temperature: 9 a.m. 73.2, 3 p.m. 81, 9 p.m. 70.3; maximum 84.8, minimum 64.4.

Humidity: 9 a.m. 75 per cent., 3 p.m. 63 per cent., 9 p.m. 90 per cent.

Wind: Greatest velocity, 28 miles, from the south, at 7.30 p.m.

RAINFALL REGISTRATIONS.

New South Wales (for the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m.).—Bateman's Bay 10 points, Bega 11, Blackheath 3, Blayney 18, Boggabilla 20, Bombala 69, Boomi 19, Bowral 7, Bungendore 10, Candelo 30, Clarence Heads 5, Cowra 21, Crookwell 10, Delegate 16, Drake 24, Eden 13, Gabo Island 26, Green Cape 23, Grenfell 5, Henty 3, Jindabyne 3, Katoomba 4, Moruya Heads 5, Mount Victoria 7, Mullumbimby 14, Nimitybelle 23, Nymagee 8, Picton 6, Port Macquarie 6, Taralga 15, Tweed Heads 14, Ulladulla 8, Walcha 21.

RIVER REPORTS.

The heights above summer level of the inland rivers at 9 a.m. on Wednesday were as follow:—Albury, 2ft 3in; Angledool, l; Balranald, 2ft 1in; Bingara, l; Boggabilla, 3ft, s; Booligal, 7ft, f; Bourke, 23ft 7in, r; Brewarrina, 34ft 3in, r; Collarenebri, 7ft 4in, f; Deniliquin, 3ft 10in; Euabalong, 6ft 8in, f; Euston, 10ft 5in; Forbes, 4ft 4in; Gundagai, 1ft 1in; Gunnedah, 3ft; Hay, 3ft 6in; Hillston, 2ft 11in, r; Inverell, l; Louth, 30ft, r; Manilla, l; Menindie, 20ft 9in; Mogil Mogil, 12ft 1in, f; Mungindi, 11ft 1in; Narrandera, 8ft 4in; Pooncarie, 19ft 9in, r; Tilpa, 27ft 11in, r; Tocumwal, 5ft 9in; Wagga Wagga, 3ft; Wentworth, 9ft 10in; Wilcannia, 26ft 3in, r; Barwon River, at Walgett, 25ft, f; Namoi River, at Walgett, 24ft 6in, f.

Nota.—R, rising; f, falling; s, stationary; l, low.

COASTAL REPORTS AT 6 P.M.

Tweed Heads, calm, cloudy, bar rough; Byron Bay, E, moderate, cloudy, sea smooth; Ballina, NE, light, cloudy, sea moderate; Clarence Heads, S, light, passing shower, sea smooth; South Solitary, NE, light, overcast, sea smooth; Bellinger Heads, NE, moderate, cloudy, sea slight; Nambucca Heads, NE, moderate, fine, hazy, sea moderate; Port Macquarie, NE, moderate, cloudy, sea smooth; Manning Heads, NE, fresh, fine, sea smooth; Seal Rocks, NE, strong, fine, hazy, sea slight; Port Stephens, NE, strong, fine, sea slight; Newcastle, NE, fresh, cloudy, sea smooth; Lake Macquarie Heads, NE, fresh, fine, sea rough; Catherine Hill Bay, NE, fresh, fine, sea rough; Barranjoey, NE, fresh, cloudy, sea slight; South Head, NE, moderate, dull, hazy, sea slight; Wollongong, S, strong, cloudy, sea smooth; Kiama, S, strong, cloudy, sea moderate; Crookhaven Heads, S, fresh, overcast, sea smooth; Jervis Bay, S, fresh, overcast, sea moderate; Ulladulla, SE, fresh, fine, sea slight; Moruya, SSE, fresh, cloudy, sea moderate; Eden, SW, light, overcast, sea slight; Green Cape, SW, moderate, cloudy, sea slight; Gabo Island, W, moderate, squally, showery, sea moderate.

FORECAST FOR NEW SOUTH WALES AT 9 P.M.

Some showers and thunder in the north-east and on the South Coast, fine inland, and cooler generally, with southerly winds, strong on the coast.

INTERSTATE RAINFALL REGISTRATIONS.

(For the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m.)

Western Australia.—Geraldton 1 point, Perth 12, York 2, C. Leeuwin 22, Katanning 7, Albany 12, Breaksea 38.

Queensland.—Thursday Island 2 points, Cairns 5, Cardwell 108, Townsville 369, Bowen 48, Mackay 434, Rockhampton 129, Sandy Cape 10, Burketown 414, Donor's Hill 11, Georgetown 136, Camooweal 4, Cloncurry 71, Urandangie 28, Boulia 11, Winton 346, Longreach 8, Windorah 16, Mitchell 4, Goondiwindi 8, Bundaberg 10, Sea Hill 129, Normanton 113, Croydon 129, Lucinda 357, Yeppoon 255, Emerald 460, Croydon 129, Mackinlay 58, Normanton 175, Hughendon 144, Pentlands 90, Herberton 15, Rebo 30, Charters Towers 36, Mt. McConnell 106, Claremont 208, Alpha 176, Emerald 410, Blackall 20, Springsure 310, Taroom 35, Twin Hills 116, Aramac 66, Barcaldine 48, West Leichhardt 65, Ayrshire Downs 107, Mount Morgan 163, Gladstone 140, Gayndah 28, Warwick 27, Surat 27, Merven 14.

Victoria.—Cape Otway 1, Ballarat 1, Omeo 2, Sale 2, Gabo Island 27.

South Australia.—Darwin 223, Williams Creek 8.

Tasmania.—Hobart 71, Springs 460, Hythe 58, Cape Sorell 52, Waratah 25, Zeehan 68, Stanley 8, Low Head 36, Launceston 9, Eddystone 11, Oatlands 114.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR MARCH 8.

Sun rises at 5.48, sets at 6.24; Moon, 5.46 p.m., 4.57 a.m.; Mercury, 4.21 a.m., 5.43 p.m.; Venus, 4.48 a.m., 5.54 p.m.; Mars, 5.41 a.m., 6.29 p.m.; Jupiter, 9.33 a.m., 8.32 p.m.; Saturn, 3.34 p.m., 1.42 a.m.

High water at Fort Denison, 8.8 a.m., 8.21 p.m.

Full Moon, March 9, at 7.58 a.m.

New moon, March 23, at 2.5 p.m.

SHIPPING.

COASTAL AND INTERSTATE.

ARRIVALS.—March 7.

Omana, s, 2323 tons, Captain Benson, from Newcastle. Scott Fell and Co., agents.

COASTWISE.—Ballengarra, s, from Port Macquarie; Comboyne, s, from Camden Haven; Myola, s, Rock-Lily, s, Newcastle, s, Archer, s, Lubra, s, Alice, s, Galava, s, Orara, s, Cavan, sch, in tow from Newcastle; Tuggerah, s, from Catherine Hill Bay; Audrey D., from Lake Macquarie; Ruby, ktch, from Broken Bay; Palmerston, s, from Wollongong; Corrimbal, s, from Bulli; Bermagui, s, Woniora, s, from Bellambi; Sphene, s, Kiama, s, from Kiama; Dunmore, s, from Shellharbour; Benandra, s, from the South Coast.

DEPARTURES.—March 7.

Wyandra, s, for Brisbane.
Ceduna, s, for Newcastle.
Goulburn, s, for Newcastle.
Levuka, s, for Melbourne.
Victoria, s, for Auckland.
Allinga, s, for Newcastle.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—March 8.

Riverina, s, for Wellington; Bodalla, s, for Moruya; Gosford, s, for Gosford; Hunter, s, for Newcastle.

STEAMERS DUE TO-DAY.

Morialta, s, from Cairns via ports.
Gabo, s, from Rockhampton and Brisbane.
Wakatipu, s, from Launceston, via Eden.
Inga, s, from Nydia Bay.

CLEARANCES.—March 7.

Wyandra, s, 4028 tons, Captain Thompson, for Brisbane, Rockhampton, Bowen, Townsville, and Cairns.
Levuka, s, 6129 tons, Captain Sharland, for Melbourne.
Victoria, s, 2969 tons, Captain Morris, for Auckland.
Allinga, s, 2242 tons, Captain Beck, for Townsville, via Newcastle.
Morinda, s, 1971 tons, Captain Hillman, for Rabaul, via Newcastle.
Jubilee, sch, 122 tons net, Captain Lowden, for Nauru.
Manuka, s, 4505 tons, Captain Clift, for Hobart.

The steamer Queen Bee passed the Heads at 5.24 p.m. yesterday, proceeding south.

Manuka, s, for Hobart.

STEAMER ST. GEORGE.

The island steamer St. George, which has been laid up for some time for overhaul, will leave Chapman's works to-day, and berth at Pyrmont, where she will obtain bunkers. The St. George will then proceed to the Quay and load for the islands, and sail next week.

HALL CAINE AGROUND.

The steamer Hall Caine went aground on the flat at the crossing at Port Macquarie yesterday morning.

HOLIDAY TRIP TO BRISBANE.

A holiday trip to Brisbane during the Easter holidays has been arranged by the Australian Steamships, Ltd. The Canberra will leave Sydney for the northern capital on April 7 (Easter Saturday), and arrive there on Easter Monday. The return trip will be made on the company's steamer Cooma, which leaves Brisbane on Wednesday, April 11, and arrives in Sydney on Friday morning, April 13.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING.

COOKTOWN (1518m).—Arr: March 7, Kuranda, s, from Townsville. Dep: March 7, Mourilyan, s, for south.

CAIRNS (1418m).—Arr: March 7, Innisfail, s, from Townsville. Dep: March 7, Seymour, s, for Townsville.

TOWNSVILLE (1258m).—Dep: March 7, Arawatta, s, for Melbourne.

BUNDABERG (782m).—Dep: March 7, Flinders, s, for Brisbane.

INSKIP POINT.—Dep: March 7, Tintana, s, Moruya, s, for Brisbane.

BRISBANE (518m).—Dep: March 7, Gundiah, s, for north; Canberra, s, for Melbourne.

TWEED HEADS (27m).—March 7, Gunbar, s, Duroby, s, and Boambee, s, 8.30 a.m., anchored in bay.

RICHMOND RIVER HEADS (231m).—Dep: March 7, Kiltobranks, s, 7 a.m., Brundah, s, 10.2 a.m., Tethys, Govt. dredge, 10.15 a.m.

CLARENCE HEADS (296m).—Arr: March 7, Kiltobranks, s, 12.15 p.m., Tethys, Govt. dredge, 4.15 p.m. Dep: March 7, Kyogle, s, 8.45 a.m.

SOUTH SOLITARY (250m).—Passed: March 7, steamer like Brundah, 5.40 p.m., south.

COFF'S HARBOUR (240m).—Arr: March 7, Noorebar, s, daylight. Dep: March 7, Noorebar, s, 4 p.m.

BELLINGER (230m).—Arr: March 7, Coolebar, s, 9 a.m., from Nambucca.

NAMBUCCA HEADS (223m).—March 7, Astral, s, off bar, waiting for tide. Dep: March 7, Our Elsie, s, 8.15 a.m., for Sydney.

SMOKY CAPE (205m).—Passed: March 7, Leura, s, 5 p.m., north; Kyogle, s, 4.30 p.m., Morialta, s, 12.15 p.m., south.

PORT MACQUARIE (174m).—Arr: March 7, Hall Caine, s, 6.30 a.m., aground on flat, 10.10 a.m.

TACKING POINT (169m).—Passed: March 7, Pulganbar, s, 5.55 p.m., north; Burringbar, s, 5.40 p.m., Wollongbar, s, 4.20 p.m., north.

CROWDY HEAD (146m).—Passed: March 7, Kinchela, s, 5.20 p.m., Howard Smith steamer, 10.50 a.m., north; Our Elsie, s, 4.20 p.m., south.

MANNING HEADS (144m).—Arr: March 7, Maianbar, s, 7.15 a.m., from Sydney. Dep: March 7, Sea Gull, s, 8.25 a.m., for Newcastle.

CAPE HAWKE (128m).—Dep: March 7, Tuncurry, s, 8 a.m., for Sydney.

SEAL ROCKS (108m).—Passed: March 7, Tambar, s, 1.30 p.m., Bellinger, s, 4 p.m., Fitzroy, s, 6 p.m., north.

PORT STEPHENS (85m).—Arr: March 7, Allyn River, s, 7 a.m. Dep: March 7, Magdalene, s, 10.45 a.m., for south. Passed: March 7, Sea Gull, s, 3.25 p.m., Tuncurry, s, 1.20 p.m., Bellowrie, s, 2.30 p.m., Tintenbar, s, 4.5 p.m., Orara, s, 4.10 p.m., south.

NEWCASTLE (62m).—Arr: March 7, Allyn River, s, Coombar, s, Wollongbar, s, Tambar, s, Queen Bee, s, Pulganbar, s, Hunter, s, Saros, s, Kinchela, s, Fitzroy, s, Bellinger, s, Rocklily, s, Pukaki, s, Ceduna, s, Nerong, s, Murray, s, Yulgilbar, s, from Sydney; Tintenbar, s, from Richmond River; Orara, s, from Byron Bay. Dep: March 6, Rakanoa, s, for Auckland; Wanaka, s, for Napier; Era, s, for Geelong; Dimboola, s, Rocklily, s, Queen Bee, s, Galgabba, ktch, for Sydney; Allyn River, s, for Port Stephens; Tambar, s, Bellinger, s, for the Bellinger; Kinchela, s, for the Macleay; Pulganbar, s, for the Clarence; Wollongbar, s, for Byron Bay; Fitzroy, s, for Coff's Harbour; Yulgilbar, s, Nerong, s, for northern rivers; Nerong, s, for Nambucca River; Joan Craig, s, for Gisborne.

WOLLONGONG (44m).—Dep: March 7, Bermagui, s, 7 a.m., for south.

PORT KEMBLA (48m).—Arr: March 7, Karitane, s, 6 a.m., Pareora, s, 6 a.m., Herga, s, 6 a.m. Dep: March 7, Benandra, s, 5.30 a.m., for Sydney.

KIAMA (60m).—Arr: March 7, Kiama, s, 5 a.m., Bermagui, s, 9 a.m. Dep: March 7, Sphene, s, 8 a.m., Kiama, s, 9 a.m., for Sydney; Bermagui, s, 11.30 a.m., for Port Kembla.

EDEN (230m).—Arr: March 7, Wakatipu, s, 4.30 p.m., from Launceston. Dep: March 7, Wakatipu, s, 6 p.m., for Sydney.

GREEN CAPE (218m).—Passed: March 7, Melbourne, cargo steamer, 4.50 p.m., A.U.S.N. Company's steamer, 9.30 a.m., south.

GABO (238m).—Passed: March 7, Wallsend, s, 10.30 a.m., steamer like Wyreema, 1.30 a.m., Kamura, s, 12.1 p.m., west; Hexham, s, 5.45 a.m., north.

MELBOURNE (576m).—Arr: March 7, Melbourne, s, from New Zealand; Loongana, s, from Launceston; Cantara, s, from Queensland. Dep: March 7, Warrastea, s, for Launceston; Age, s, for Newcastle; Loongana, s, for Launceston; Cooma, s, for Queensland; Sydney, s, for Sydney; Katoomba, s, for Fremantle.

ADELAIDE (1084m).—Arr: March 7, Zealandia, s, from Fremantle; Dilkera, s, and Century, s, from Newcastle.

NORFOLK ISLAND SHIPPING.

NORFOLK ISLAND, Wednesday.

The steamer Makambo arrived at 4 p.m. on Monday from Sydney, and sailed again at noon yesterday for the New Hebrides.

THE MAILS.

THIS DAY.

South Australia.—Overland, 5.30 p.m.
Victoria.—Overland, 5.30 and 8 p.m.
Queensland.—Overland, 4.30 p.m.
Wellington, etc., N.Z.—9.30 a.m.
Ocean Island and Nauru.—2.30 p.m.
Japan.—4.30 p.m.
Western Australia, via Adelaide.—5.30 p.m.
Tasmania, via Melbourne.—5.30 p.m.

FRIDAY.

South Australia.—Overland, 5.30 p.m.
Victoria.—Overland, 5.30 and 8 p.m.
Queensland.—Overland, 4.30 p.m.
Coff's Harbour, Coff's Harbour Jetty, Coramba, and South Solitary Island.—5.30 a.m.
Tasmania, via Melbourne.—5.30 p.m.

SATURDAY.

South Australia.—Overland, 9.30 p.m.
Victoria.—Overland, 9.30 p.m.
Queensland.—Overland, 4.30 and 9.30 p.m.
Port Macquarie.—10 a.m.
Richmond River.—2 p.m.
Byron Bay, Coff's Harbour, Bellingen, and Dorrigo.—7.30 p.m.
Clarence River.—7.30 p.m.
Tasmania, via Melbourne.—9.30 p.m.
Tasmania, via Melbourne.—9.30 p.m.

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

HOUSES AND LAND.

H. DUFF and CO.—At the Rooms, at 11.30, Shares and Properties.

H. W. HORNING and CO.—At Real Estate Rooms, at 11.30, Suburban and Country Properties.

FURNITURE AND MERCHANDISE.

W. A. LITTLE.—At the Rooms, at 10.30, Pianos, Furniture, etc.; at 12, Lathe, etc.; at Leura, Frenchman's-road, Randwick, at 11, Furniture, etc.

J. R. LAWSON.—At 19 Henson-street, Summer Hill, at 11, Furniture, etc.

DEAN, VALANTINE, and CO.—At the Rooms, at 11, Ironmongery, Drapery, etc.

R. H. BRODRIBB.—At 29 Elizabeth-street, city, at 2.30, Indent Agent's Stock, etc.

FRASER, UTHER, and CO.—At 100 Pitt-street, at 11, Hairdressers' Stock, etc.

H. LEVY.—At 135 Regent-street, city, at 11, Piano, Furniture, etc.; at 2, Clothing, etc.

J. P. LISTER.—At 308 Pitt-street, at 11, Rings, Watches, Jewellery, etc.

STOKES and CO.—At 380 Elizabeth-street, at 11, Furniture, Tools, etc.

FARM AND DAIRY PRODUCE.

MOSSMAN and ELLIS.—At the Rooms, at 1.30, Eggs, Butter, Honey, etc.; at 2.15, Poultry, etc.

POULTRY FARMERS' CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY.—At the Rooms, at 12.30, Eggs, Fruit, etc.; at 1.30, Poultry, Suckers, etc.

C. J. TURNER and SONS.—At the Rooms, at 1.15, Ducklings, Chicks, etc.; at 1.30, Eggs, Poultry.

W. INGLIS and SON.—At Quay-street Yards, at 11, Milch Cows.

HORSES, VEHICLES, AND HARNESS.

W. INGLIS and SON.—At their Bazaar, Camperdown, at 10.30, Horses, Vehicles, and Harness.

W. A. LITTLE.—At the Rooms, at 11, Motor Cars.

DEAN, VALANTINE, and CO.—At the Rooms, at 11, Motor Cars.

MISCELLANEOUS.

W. J. LAWS and FLOWERDEW.—At 738 Darling-street, Balmain, at 11, Building Materials.

A. EDGAR.—At 211 Cowper-street, Waverley, at 11, Building Materials.

SPORTING.

THE TURF.

Entries for the half-dozen items on the card for the Wyong Park Racing Club's fixture of the 15th inst., and which carry in the aggregate 260 sovs prize money, are invited by the secretary, Mr. Edwin Woodbury, up to 4 p.m. to-day.

Reid's Flat Jockey Club (March 22) race meeting has been granted registration by the A.J.C.

Some time back Mr. Arthur White, of Belltrees, Scone, thought seriously of abandoning racing until after the war. However, he has decided to carry on, so as to provide employment for people engaged in the sport, but any prizes won will be devoted to war charities. Mr. White's horse, Ulva's Isle, won the last Rosehill Handicap, and the winner's share, less riding fees, has been handed over to the treasurer of the Scott Memorial Hospital, Scone.

The Menangle Park Pony and Trotting Club holds its next fixture on the 18th inst. In addition to four races for ponies there are two trots—the Flying Mile and the Menangle Park Handicap—which carry 40 sovs each, and the prize money for the galloping events total 130 sovs. Entries close at 5 p.m. to-day with the secretary, Mr. Edwin Woodbury.

The Victoria Park Racing Club holds its next pony and galloway fixture on the 14th inst., and entries for the seven events on the card close with the secretary, Mr. H. Cobcroft, at 5 p.m. to-day. The prize-money totals 700 sovs., equally distributed.

A benefit meeting in aid of the funds of the Balmain and District Hospital will be held by the New South Wales Trotting Club on the Epping racecourse on Saturday, the 17th inst., and for the half-dozen items on the card entries will be received up to 8 p.m. to-day by the secretary, Mr. R. C. Hungerford. The prize-money totals 370 sovs., of which 70 sovs. endows the Flying Handicap, 60 sovs. each the Trial Handicap, Tramway Handicap, and Club Handicap, and 50 sovs. the Glebe Handicap.

The Gosford Racing Club holds its next fixture on the 20th inst., and for the six events on the card, and which carry in the aggregate 260 sovs., nominations close with the secretary, Mr. H. R. Evans, at 4 p.m. on Monday, the 12th inst.

LATEST SCRATCHINGS.

The following scratchings were notified yesterday:—

CANTERBURY PARK MARCH MEETING.
Stewards' Mile: Three Star.

A.J.C. AUTUMN MEETING.
Sires' Produce Stakes: Princess Flower, Dumpling filly, Apple Pie colt, Goimbla, Gurranang.
St. Leger Stakes: Galerino, Glenbrae.
Champagne Stakes: Princess Flower, Dumpling filly, Apple Pie colt, Goimbla, Gurranang, Queen Regent filly, Bonnie Syce, Demotic.

V.R.C. AUTUMN MEETING.
MELBOURNE, Wednesday.
March Nursery: Chastelard, Simacre, Chuprassee.
Autumn Hurdle: Wallalo.
All engagements: Boureong, Dame Acre, Lady Egnie, Cerealia, Sir Paddington, Poitrina, Frazzac.

VICTORIA RACING CLUB.

AUTUMN MEETING.

THIRD DAY.

The third session of the V.R.C. Autumn racing campaign takes place this afternoon; and for the "off-day" a particularly attractive bill of fare has been provided, including a couple of w.f.a. events, a race over the battens, a contest for juveniles, and a couple of long distance handicaps on the flat. The programme will be run through as follows:—Autumn Hurdle Race, 1.30; C. M. Lloyd Stakes, 2.20; Autumn Handicap, 3.15; March Nursery, 3.55; Governor's Plate, 4.35; and River Handicap, 5.10 p.m.

The Autumn Hurdle Race, with which the sport commences, foreshadows an interesting contest, in which Coronatus, Calbye, Sir Prim, Thaletas, and Wondergraph should figure prominently, and the judge may declare for Calbye, Thaletas, and Sir Prim.

A brilliant array of w.f.a. talent is engaged in the C.M. Lloyd Stakes, and a great race may be expected. The most likely to figure in the fighting line towards the end of the race are Woorak, Whitefield, Redfern, Aleconner, and Spurn; and Woorak, Whitefield, and Redfern may occupy the places.

A large field is indicated for the Autumn Handicap, and the chances of Green Cap, Bombita, Lucky Escape, William the Silent, and Court Jester seem the brightest; while Lucky Escape, Bombita, and Green Cap may pass the post in order.

The battle for the March Nursery Handicap may be fought out among Lady Comely, Quillion, Folly Queen, Haud, and Newton Stewart; and the judge may declare for Haud, Lady Comely, and Newton Stewart.

The Governor's Plate should be responsible for a highly interesting contest, in which the brunt of the engagement should fall to Burrabadeen, Aides, Patrobas, Lavendo, and Rushford; and the numbers may be hoisted for Patrobas, Lavendo, and Burrabadeen.

The River Handicap winds up the afternoon's racing, and the most likely to be in the firing line towards the end of the trip are Bridges, Maltravers, Half-a-Glass, Polydamus, and First Trim: and the situations may be filled by First Trim, Polydamus, and Bridges.

ROSEBERY RACING CLUB.

GANISTER WINS ROSEBERY HANDICAP.

Rosebery Racing Club's pony and galloway meeting yesterday was well attended. Speculation on the eight events was very brisk, and the majority of the finishes were remarkably close. Ganister won the Rosebery Handicap, and was half a point a better favourite than Donatus, who ran unplaced. Details:—

Flying Handicap of 100 sovs; second horse 15 and third 10 sovs from the prize, about 6f.—Toinette, by Riding Master (imp)—Thalia, aged, 8st 1lb (F. Connelly), 1; Fieldmoore, all. 5lb, car. 7st 9lb (B. Paddy), 2; Schottische, 7st 7lb (J. Varley), 3. Other starters: Creusot, 9st; Merv's Pride, 8st 10lb; Kingfield, all. 7lb, car. 7st 3lb; Merv Blend, 7st 7lb; Lady Balfour, 7st 7lb; Cutma, 7st 5lb; Duke of Wagga, 7st 7lb, inc. 2lb over; Poserino, 7st 5lb; Ida Jarvis, 7st 5lb; Lord Haven, 7st 3lb; Harbour, 7st 3lb; Sister Susie, 7st 3lb; Yarri, 7st 3lb; Lord Orcus, 7st 3lb. Betting: 6 to 4 v Toinette, 5 to 2 v Creusot, 6 to 1 v Schottische, 7 to 1 v Fieldmoore, 8 to 1 v Kingfield, 12 to 20 to 1 each v the others. Won by a head, a neck between second and third. Time, 1m 13½s.

Fourteen-one Handicap of 100 sovs; second horse 15 and third 10 sovs from the prize, 5½f.—Footprint, by Football—Zita, 6yrs, 7st 11lb (D. Stockdale), 1; Cool Queen, 7st 9lb (M. Madden), 2; Landscape, 7st 3lb (H. Curran), 3. Other starters: Morven Lass, 9st 3lb; Little Iris, 8st 8lb; Rumet, 8st 5lb; Cool Jim, 8st 3lb; Carey Moore, 8st 2lb; Marcelle Semmer, 7st 12lb; Frithfield, 7st 11lb. Betting: 2 to 1 v Rumet, 6 to 2 each v Morven Lass and Cool Queen, 8 to 1 each v Cool Jim and Careymoore, 15 to 1 v Footprint, 20 to 1 v Landscape, 15 to 20 to 1 each v the others. Won by half a length, a neck between second and third. Time, 1m 7½s.

Maiden Handicap of 100 sovs, second horse 15 and third 10 sovs from the prize, 6f.—First division: Carboniferous, by Zythus—Siluran, 4yrs, all. 3lb, car. 7st 3lb (W. Moore), 1; Earl Trent, 8st 5lb (F. Ponting), 2; Sir Frit, 8st 2lb, inc. 2lb over (W. Cross), 3. Other starters: Valentimus, 8st 7lb; Paspalene, 8st 7lb, inc. 2lb over; Sturmer, 8st 3lb; Lady Bromma, 8st 2lb; Lady Flame, 7st 12lb; First Resolution, 7st 10lb; Cadorna, 7st 7lb; Warbine, 7st 5lb; Toora Lassie. Betting: 6 to 4 v Carboniferous, 2 to 1 v Toora Lassie, 4 to 1 v Earl Trent, 10 to 1 v Sir Frit, 10 to 20 to 1 each v the others. Won by a short head, three lengths between second and third. Time, 1m 16s. Second division: Aymerett, by Sir Aymer (imp.)—Coquette, all. 7lb, car. 7st 3lb (B. Everitt), 1; Lady Simnel, 7st 10lb (H. Griffiths), 2; Cool Lil, 7st 3lb (G. Willis), 3. Other starters: Two Jims, 7st 12lb; Pride of Lancaster, 7st 10lb; Master Burses, 7st 10lb; Lady Grafton, 7st 10lb; Paymaster, 7st 10lb; Acorn Lass, 7st 10lb; Sylvia Whitton, 7st 10lb; Joyful Boy, 7st 10lb. Betting: Even money on Cool Lil, 4 to 1 v Pride of Lancaster, 6 to 1 v Joyful Boy, 7 to 1 v Lady Simnel, 12 to 1 v Aymerett, 10 to 20 to 1 each v the others. Won by three lengths, two lengths between second and third. Time, 1m 15s.

Fourteen Hands Handicap of 100 sovs, second horse 15 and third 10 sovs from the prize, 5f.—Rose Game, by Gameboy—Moss Rose, aged, 7st 13lb (E. Henry), 1; Red Gipsy, 8st 8lb (T. Taylor), 2; My Monie, 7st 9lb (G. Willis), 3. Other starters: Flying Arrow, 11st 4lb; Malena, 9st 10lb; Atherdon, 9st 4lb; Mite, 8st 1lb; Minor Light, 7st 12lb; Secrete, 7st 9lb; Green and White, 7st 5lb; Swastika, 7st 5lb; Milanda, 7st 3lb; Crimson Rose, all. 7lb, car. 6st 10lb. Betting: 5 to 2 v Minor Light, 3 to 1 v Malena, 4 to 1 v Swastika, 7 to 1 v Secrete, 8 to 1 each v Red Gipsy and My Monie, 12 to 1 v Rose Game, 12 to 20 to 1 each v the others. Won by two lengths, two lengths between second and third. Time, 1m 4¾s.

Rosebery Handicap of 100 sovs, second horse 15 and third 10 sovs from the prize, 1m.—First division: Ganister, by Bright Steel (imp.)—Timbrel (imp.), 5yrs, 7st 7lb (R. Turner), 1; Halston, 7st 12lb (E. Henry), 2; Fizzing, 8st 3lb (L. Brown), 3. Other starters: Wombah, 8st 5lb; Clovelly, all. 7lb, car. 7st 8lb; Lovesore, 8st; Swanker, 7st 13lb; Donatus, 7st 13lb; Miss Moi, 7st 7lb, inc. 2lb over; Schottische, 7st 5lb; Holadena, 7st 5lb; Webimble, 7st 6lb, inc. 3lb over; Yucca, 7st 6lb, inc. 3lb over; Mr. Pane, 7st 6lb, inc. 3lb over. Betting: 5 to 2 v Ganister, 3 to 1 v Donatus, 4 to 1 v Clovelly, 6 to 1 v Wombah, 7 to 1 v Lovesore, 10 to 1 v Fizzing, 15 to 1 v Halston, 10 to 20 to 1 each v the others. Won by a length, half a length between second and third. Time, 1m 43s.

Encourage Stakes of 100 sovs, second horse 15 and third horse 10 sovs from the prize, 1m.—Purple King, by Linacre (imp.)—Royal Purple, 4yrs, 9st 1lb (H. Griffith), 1; Ballante, 7st 9lb (W. Guy), 2; Bonnie Girl, 7st 8lb (E. Henry), 3. Other starters: Ennimore, 8st 10lb; Bright Bird, all. 7lb, car. 7st 8lb; Mattie II., 7st 12lb; Pajerina, 7st 11lb; Caros, 7st 7lb; Minor Coreena, 7st 6lb; Lady Yoel, all. 7lb, car. 6st 10lb; Bilterita, 7st 8lb; Bendigo, 7st 8lb; Elmgrove, 7st 8lb. Betting: 2 to 1 v Purple King, 9 to 2 v Ballante, 5 to 1 each v Beluwirri and Mattie H., 8 to 1 v Pajerina, 25 to 1 v Bonnie Girl, 10 to 25 to 1 each v others. Won by three lengths, three quarters of a length between second and third. Time, 1m 44¾s.

Fourteen-two Handicap of 100 sovs, second horse 15 and third 10 sovs from the prize, about 6f.—Pious John, by Dalmeny (imp.)—Teapot, 5yrs, 7st 13lb (F. Hood), 1; Sir Merv, 8st 8lb (W. Manning), 2; Clysmic, 7st 10lb (E. Henry), 3. Other starters: Rock, 8st 8lb, 8st 12lb; Lady Kinsen, 8st 11lb; Bobadil Maid, 7st 10lb; Little Merv, 7st 8lb; Home Rule, 7st 8lb. Betting: 5 to 2 v Pious John, 3 to 1 v Clysmic, 4 to 1 v Sir Merv, 10 to 15 to 1 each v the others. Won by half a length, a length between second and third. Time, 1m 14¼s.

BEGA DISTRICT JOCKEY CLUB.

AUTUMN MEETING.

SECOND DAY.

BEGA, Wednesday.

The autumn meeting of the Bega District Jockey Club was continued yesterday in fine weather. There was a fair attendance, and the net proceeds were in aid of the Bega District Hospital. Results:—

Nurses' Trial Handicap, 6f.—W. Hibburd's Sir Mingo, by Sir Whitton (imp.)—Flamingo, 8st 7lb (Reynolds), 1; Lady Satin, 8st 5lb, 2; Le Prism, 3. Betting: 2 to 1 on the winner. Won by three lengths. Time, 1m 19s.

Matrons' Flying Handicap, 6f.—Miss R. Wilton's Ginger, by Carellon—Foolery, 7st 7lb (Reynolds), 1; Laura Brown, 8st 3lb, 2; Carabas, 8st 2lb, 3. Won by three and half lengths. Betting: 2 to 1 on the field. Time, 1m 18s.

President's Handicap, 1m and 110yds.—J. Gordon's b g Kemboka Lad, by Sir Whittom (imp.)—C.S., 8st (Rosen), 1; Zarabine, 10st, 2; Fondo, 7st 5lb, 3. A great race. Won by a head. Time, 1m 55s. Betting: 6 to 4 on Zarabine, 6 to 4 v the winner, 4 to 1 v Fondo. A protest against the winner by Higgins, rider of Zarabine, was dismissed.

Probationers' Second Trial Handicap, 6f.—W. T. Herbert's South C., 7st 13lb (Rosen), 1; Grand Foote, 9st 2lb, 2; Magic Gun, 8st 1½lb, 3. Won by two lengths. Time, 1m 19s. Betting: 2 to 1 v the winner.

Doctors' Welter, 7f.—J. Gordon's Duke Moorefield, by Moorefield—Scot's grey mare (Rosen), 1; Inverlorn, 8st, 2; Rosa Roma, 3. Betting: 3 to 1 v the winner. Won easily.

Time Handicap Trot, 1¼m.—Watling and Jones' May Coonie, by Coonie—Retford mare, 1; Freedom, 2; Hazeldean, 3. Won easily.

SANDOWN PARK RACING CLUB.

MARCH MEETING.

BURRINJUCK WINS PARK HANDICAP.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

The Sandown Park races were held to-day in dull but fine and cool weather, and the attendance was a first-class one. Details:—

Hurdle Race, 2m.—Mr. W. Kennedy's Lobanoff, by Sir Tristram (imp)—Encore, 9st (J. O'Nelly), 1; Mr. J. Moylan's Boyeo, 10st 12lb (Amson), 2; Mr. T. Kilmartin's Common King, 11st (A. Carter), 3. Other starters: Uxbridge, 11st 5lb; Eishon, 10st 4lb; Expeditioner, 10st; Alor Star, 9st 10lb; Master Fraser, 9st 5lb; Campanile, 9st 4lb; Majestic Foot, 9st 2lb; Rupert Stuart, 10st 7lb, inc. 2lb over; Nitchevo, 9st 2lb, inc. 3lb over. Betting: 7 to 2 v Boyeo, 9 to 2 v Eishon, 6 to 1 v Common King, 7 to 1 v Campanile, 8 to 1 v Expeditioner, 12 to 1 each v Master Fraser and Nitchevo, 33 to 1 v Lobanoff. Won by three-quarters of a length, a length between second and third. Alor Star fell. Time, 3m 40½s.

First Division Handicap, 5f.—Mr. J. Campbell's Weleria, by The Welkin (imp)—Galeria, 8st 7lb (W. Foulsham), 1; Mr. F. Lewis's Winacre, all. 7lb, car. 6st 8lb (R. Scobie), 2; Mr. W. Booth's Dame Acre, 8st 11lb (W. Lillyman), 3. Other starters: Sauci, 9st 1lb; Sunbury, 8st 4lb; Linass, all. 7lb, car. 7st 11lb; Polydamus, all. 3lb, car. 7st 9lb; Booran Lass, 7st 4lb; Woolcen, all 5lb, car. 6st 13lb; Uska, all. 3lb, car. 6st 10lb; Noble Bonnie, all. 5lb, car. 6st 7lb. Betting: 2 to 1 v Dame Acre, 4 to 1 v Weleria, 5 to 1 v Uska, 7 to 1 v Woolcen, 12 to 1 v Linass. Won by a head, two lengths and a half between second and third. Time, 1m 2s.

Third Division Handicap, 6f.—Mr. R. Brown's Challenda, by Challenger (imp.)—Gilda, 6st 12lb (F. Dempsey), 1; Mr. A. T. Creswick's Ulster Boy, 7st 12lb (D. M'Cowan), 2; Chabnell and Jolly's Young Gordon, 7st 10lb (J. O'Sullivan), 3. Other starters: Traclu, all. 7lb, carr. 8st 6lb; Lampoon, 8st 11lb; Miss Pendil, 8st 4lb; Calais, 8st 2lb; Pomanser, all. 3lb, carr. 7st 4lb; Red Stripe, 7st 7lb; Billy Coke 7st 5lb; Burra Men, 7st 5lb; Thurlagunyah, 7st; Sugelo, 7st 3lb; Kaleena, 6st 12lb. Betting: Even money on Challenda, 6 to 1 v Miss Pendil, 10 to 1 v Sugelo, 12 to 1 each v Calais, Thurlagunyah, and Lampooner, 16 to 1 v Young Gordon, 25 to 1 v Ulster Boy. Won by a short half head, a length and a half between second and third. Time, 1m 17½s.

Jumpers' Flat Race, 1¼m.—P. Guinane's Bardol, by Bardolph (imp.)—Lady Porteea, 8st 11lb (J. Killorn), 1; W. Leyshon's Alleyn, 10st 3lb (P. Kelly), 2; J. Lynch's Litmus, 10st 5lb (L. Fisher), 3. Other starters: Red Corn, 9st 13lb; Effervescence, 9st 13lb; Radiator, 9st 5lb; Bulgee Bee 8st 2lb; Benvitas, 8st. Betting: 5 to 2 v Litmus, 3 to 1 v Bardol, 4 to 1 v Young Gordon, 25 to 1 v Ulster Boy. Won by half a length between second and third. Time, 2m 11½s.

Aspendale Park Handicap, 1¼m.—Mr. Janwin's Burrinjuck, by Maltster—Lady Trenton, all 3lb, carr. 6st 12lb (A. Whicker), 1; Mr. G. Bennett's Admirable Bob, 9st (L. Franklin), 2; Mr. L. Foulsham's Royal Arms, 8st 7lb (W. Foulsham), 3. Other starters: Hitachi, 8st 3lb; Lady Moultan, 8st; Baldpate, 7st 2lb; Rassendene, all 3lb, carr. 6st 12lb; Lardner, 7st 6lb, inc. 10lb over; Bridgetel, 6st 7lb; Allfat, 6st 7lb. Betting: 3 to 1 v Royal Arms, 9 to 2 v Admirable Bob, 5 to 1 v Lady Moultan, 6 to 1 v Allfat, 10 to 1 each v Baldpate and Hitachi, 25 to 1 v Burrinjuck. Won by a short head, two lengths between second and third. Time, 2m 10s.

Second Division Handicap, 6f.—Mr. F. J. Mitchell's Bonegilla, by Tulkeroo—Sunset, 7st 9lb, inc. 2lb over (G. Bambert), 1; Mr. J. P. Dunne's Colchis, 7st 6lb, inc. 1lb over (J. Franklin), 2; Mr. G. Breen's Spring Song, 7st 7lb (F. Dempsey), 3. Other starters: Lord Tom, 9st 9lb; Lord Cavendish, 8st 8lb; Telecles, 8st 3lb; Tongororgan, 8st 3lb; Pendule, 8st 3lb; Feuilette, 7lb; Wardsome, 8st 1lb; Rose of Melbourne, 7st 8st 1lb; Belgium Waif, 7st 10lb; Sir Widderin, 7st 10lb; 11lb; Quiara, 7st 9lb; Lady Narcissa, 7st 7lb; Cullularaine, 7st 7lb; Fendilherst, 7st 3lb; Sir Dowdingstown, all 3lb, carr. 7st; Myrtoon, 6st 8lb. Betting: 4 to 1 each v Quiara and Colchis, 9 to 2 v Spring Song, 8 to 1 v Lord Cavendish, 10 to 1 each v Rose of Melbourne and Bonegilla, 12 to 1 each v Pendilherst and Pendule. Won by half a head, two lengths between second and third. Time, 1m 16½s.

YOUNG TURF CLUB.

ANNUAL MEETING.

FIRST DAY.

YOUNG, Wednesday.

The Young Turf Club's annual races opened to-day, in good weather. Results:—

Maiden Plate, 5f.—J. H. M'Farlane's The Prowler, 8st 11lb (Keir), 1; J. Comerford's Granuale, 8st 11lb (Noonan), 2; M. Fisher's Sovernette, 8st 11lb (Phillips), 3. Five starters. Betting: Even money on The Prowler, 2 to 1 v Granuale, 3 to 1 v Sovernette. Won by a neck. Time, 1m 4½s.

Flying Handicap.—Arty Wood's Boomall.

Young Turf Club Handicap, 1m.—W. J. Oake's Precision, 9st 12lb (Keir), 1; A. Regan's Sukey, 7st 3lb (Phillips), 2; J. H. Chaiker's Pet Boy, 7st 12lb, inc. 10lb over (Stokes), 3. Betting: 3 to 1 on Precision, 2 to 1 v Sukey, 10 to 1 v Pet Boy. Won easily by a length. Time, 1m 46s.

First Trial, 6f.—A. Waldron's Lady Ganara, 9st 6lb (Stokes), 1; W. F. Merrit's Syporite, 8st, inc. 3lb over (Keir), 2; D. Woodbridge's One and Three, 7st 9lb (Phillips), 3. Four starters. Betting: 3 to 1 on Lady Ganara, 4 to 1 each v Syporite and One and Three. Won by a head after a great race between first and second horses up the straight. Time, 1m 17s.

Welter Handicap.—R. Payne's Wild West, 9st 4lb (Noonan), 1; Arty Wood's Boomall, 8st 9lb (Keir), 2. Betting: 3 to 1 on Wild West, 2 to 1 v Boomall. Won by about three lengths. Time, 1m 32s.

Favourites won every race. Keir rode three winners and two seconds.

TAMWORTH JOCKEY CLUB.

MARCH MEETING.

SECOND DAY.

TAMWORTH, Wednesday.

The second day's racing of the Tamworth Jockey Club was held to-day in fine weather. The attendance was above the average. Results:—

Flying Handicap, 5f.—Loch Ladis, by Loch Nagar—Gladys May, 9st (Reid), 1; Kahanamoku, 1st 3lb (Judge), 2; My Prospect, 8st 4lb (Bloomfield), 3. Only three starters. Betting: 5 to 2 on My Prospect, 3 to 1 v Loch Ladis, 5 to 1 v Kahanamoku. Won by a neck. Time, 1m 3s.

Moonbi Handicap, 7f.—Phast Boy, by Waukenphast (imp.) Sureto, 9st (Reid), 1; Koroai, 1st (Bennett), 2; Happy Smile, 7st 5lb (Orrell), 3. Other starters: Fowlight and Larissa. Betting: 2 to 1 each v Phast Boy and Fowlight, 3 to 1 v Koroai, 5 to 1 v Larissa, 6 to 1 v Happy Smile. Won by a neck. Time, 1m 29s.

March Handicap, 9f.—Miss Portland, by Bobadil—Ninon, 7st 12lb (Orrell), 1; After Twelve, 7st 10lb (Bloomfield), 2; Five Step, 6st 7lb (Hall), 3. Other starters: N.K., 8st 3lb; Dalmeny King, 7st 2lb. Betting: 6 to 4 on Miss Portland, 4 to 1 each v After Twelve and N.K., 10 to 1 v others. Won by three lengths. Time, 1m 55½s—a record for the course.

Second Welter Handicap, 6f.—Nickaway, by Pompous—Set Free, 8st 5lb (Reid), 1; Watermark, 8st (Bloomfield), 2; Hurdle Girl, 9st 4lb (Bennett), 3. Other starters: Rose of Redfield, 8st 13lb; Rant, 8st 5lb; High Class, 8st; Vigerlerio, 8st. Betting: 5 to 2 on Hurdle Girl, 3 to 1 v Rose of Redfield, 4 to 1 v Nickaway, 7 to 1 v Watermark, 10 to 1 v others.

Trial Handicap, 6f.—Namoi Queen, by Riding Master (imp.) Hazeldoma, 7st 7lb (Reid), 1; Comsin, 7st 7lb (Bloomfield), 2; Korrigowan, 9st (Bennett), 3. Other starters: Clarehawn, 9st; King Ribbon, 8st 7lb; Miss Senia, 8st 6lb; Dalgarde, 7st 12lb; Satinfelt, 7st 10lb; Gold Dolph, 7st 7lb; Irish Wake, 7st 7lb; Perfect Lion, 7st 7lb. Betting: 2 to 1 v Comsin, 3 to 1 v Korrigowan, 5 to 1 v Namoi Queen, 10 to 1 v others.

Final Handicap, 7f.—Teroona, by Mosqueton (imp.)—Flowers, 7st 7lb (Bennett), 1; N.K., 7st 10lb (Reid), 2; Gaucho, 9st, 3. Other starters: Sir Mostyn, 8st; Chiel Boy, 8st 6lb; Mandowa, 7st 7lb; Round, 7st 3lb. Betting: 2 to 1 v Sir Mostyn, 5 to 2 v Gaucho, 4 to 1 v Chiel Boy, 5 to 1 v Teroona and Round, 5 to 1 v Mandowa, 10 to 1 v N.K. Won by one and a half lengths. Time, 1m 29½s.

SOUTH GRAFTON JOCKEY CLUB.

GRAFTON, Wednesday.

The following weights have been declared for the South Grafton J.C. races on Saturday next:—

Open Handicap, 6f.—Noble Claris, 9st 5lb; Noble Nell, 8st 8lb; Bigal, 8st 2lb; Olga Patrova, 8st; Lady Chelsmore, 7st 7lb; La Sylvia, 7st 6lb; May Modan, 7st 5lb; Fragile, 7st 4lb; Miss Fame, 7st 2lb; Mona M., 7st; Lord Strathburg, 7st.

Novice Handicap, 6f.—Lord Strathburg, 9st; Hampton Court, 8st 9lb; Lady Oris, 7st 7lb; Olive Sarto, 7st 5lb; Timber Prince, 7st; Motrop, 7st; Bisto, 7st; Yolie, 7st.

March Handicap, 7f.—Cavan Boy, 9st 10lb; Noble Claris, 9st; Alma A., 8st 13lb; Pos, 8st 3lb; Noble Nell, 8st; Olga Patrova, 7st 9lb; Balmanald, 7st 9lb; Timber Jack, 7st 8lb; La Sylvia, 7st; May Modan, 7st; Fragile, 7st; Miss Fame, 7st.

Welter Handicap, 1m and 5 chains.—Pos, 9st 5lb; Balmanald, 8st 11lb; Timber Jack, 8st 10lb; La Sylvia, 8st; Fragile, 8st; Bardell, 7st 7lb.

President's Handicap, 6f.—Cavan Boy, 9st 13lb; Noble Claris, 9st 5lb; Noble Nell, 8st 3lb; Bigal, 8st 2lb; Olga Patrova, 8st; Lady Chelsmore, 7st 7lb; La Sylvia, 7st 6lb; May Modan, 7st 5lb; Fragile, 7st 4lb; Miss Fame, 7st 2lb; Mona M. and Lord Strathburg, 7st; Olive Sarto, 6st 7lb.

BOWLS.

A team of Sydney bowlers played a match at Bulli yesterday, the local team winning by 24 points.

AMUSEMENTS.

WIRTH'S CIRCUS.

Mr. G. L. Peterson, touring manager of Wirth Bros.' circus, is at present in Sydney, making arrangements for the opening of the circus at the Hippodrome, Haymarket, on Saturday, March 24.

PERSONAL AND MISSING FRIENDS.

IN reply to Colge, People's Palace, one address, A.W. Office, Armidale.

MAY.—If you care to see me, say when, and we'll remember cards. Friend Jock.

RECEIVED Letter. Frank, Dulwich Hill.

REFINED lady, few oppor., like meet educ. gent., 35 to 45, bus. man., v. mat. Jean, Wlbra. P.O.

RESPECTABLE m.a. gent., fair means, wishes to meet refined spinster or widow, 25-30, small and dark pref., view mat; corresp. confidential. C., Herald.

TO ARTHUR BRANNAN, late of Hobart.—Please communicate with A. R., G.P.O., Hobart. Anxious.

WIDOW, 30, refined, like meet gent., view mat. E.T., Post-office, Bondi Junction.

WILL (Joe) JOHNSTON'S father call Maloney-st, Mascot.

WOULD NURSE SINBECK send address to Theodore, Herald Office, King-st?

WILL FRED. H. EVANS, late Mungindi, kindly communicate with Mrs. Evans, 155 Paddington-st, Padd.

WILL Miss E. A. meet J.H.P., at Foy's Corner, at 8 p.m., Tuesday, as can't understand.

WILL lady left tram in William-st, Sat. night, recognising gent., straw hat, standing in tram, write to S., P.O., Woollahra.

YOUNG lady des. acquaintance of young gent., view matrimony. Mollie, Post-office, George-st North.

YOUNG lady wishes to meet ref. gent., 30, Prot., gd. appear., v. mat. N.S.B., P.O., Lewisham.

YOUNG GENT., good appearance, with little means, would like correspond with young Lady, view to Mat. A.D., G.P.O.

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LOST AND FOUND.

BICYCLE, Carbine, B.S.A., Lost, Maldon, No. 4868 (about); reward. Leather handles, Taylor Hand Bars. PEARSON, Chemist, Camden.

CAMEO BROOCH, lost, between Her Majesty's, Pitt-street, and King to George streets; reward. 55 Lower Fort-street, Dawes Point.

FIVE Pounds Reward.—Lost, Bay Pony Mare, br. P near shoulder. 168 Catherine-st, Leichhardt.

GOOD Reward.—Lost, Enmore tram, Tuesday night, Suit Case, ctg. Dress Stuff; working girl, big loss. 14 Francis-street, Enmore.

LOST, Pocket Wallet, contg. Army Discharge. Finder please return. Write J.H.P., Herald. Reward.

LOST, Sunday night, Green Parrot, £1 reward. J. Riley, Hills-st, Alexandria.

LOST, Black Pup, brown face and legs, leather collar; reward. Chester, Botany-st, Waverley.

LOST, Kim, thin Fox Terrier, white, black patches, well marked head; reward. 20 Queen-st, Mosman.

LOST, small Hamper, bet. Strathfield-Burwood. Return to Midlothian, Wentworth-rd, Strath. Rewd.

LOST, 3 Soldier's Photos in envelope, in or around Sydney; £1 reward. Write 6167, Herald.

LOST, Monday, Bag, corner of Pitt and King sts. Finder apply J. Spencer, Dentist, 82 King-st.

LOST, Gold Ring Brooch, with 19th Batt. colours; keepsake; reward. 68 Corunna-rd, Petersham.

LOST, Monday, North Sydney, Brindle BULLDOG; reward. Mrs. Paine, 10 Lytton-st.

LOST, between Ashfield and Sydney, Half-moon Brooch, pearls inlaid. J. W. Ward, 1 Central-st, cy.

LOST, Gold Medal, Glebe, 1898, Reward. F. Connell, 128 Young-st, Annandale.

LOST, Aust. Terrier (female), Sat., 3rd, Warrawee. Reward. W. Pierce, Turramurra.

LOST, Complimentary Pass to Picture Theatres, No. 27; reward. 8 Waratah-st, Rushcutter Bay.

LOST, bet. Mc. Pictures and Euroka-st, Shark Tooth, mounted gold and red stone. 2 Oak-st, Nth. Syd.

LEFT black Parasol 11.30 train to Sutherland. Return Stationmaster, Kogarah.

LOST, Gold Glasses and Glove, between Lindfield and Marrickville. 72 Victoria-rd, Marrickville. Reward.

LOST, Tuesday, Nth. Syd., Naremburn, Roll Bank Notes. Liberal reward. 310 Miller-st, Nth. Syd.

LOST, Tuesday, Ashfield Station, Parcel Fancy Work and Hoops; reward. 234 Liverpool-rd, Ashfield.

LOST, Circ. Quay, Milson's Pt. Wharf, Chain and Pend., photo., kpsk.; rew. 31 Pitt-st, Milson's Pt.

LOST, bet. Mark Foy's and Lockett, Dentist, opp., Five-diamond Half-hoop RING, keepsake; reward, Hayden, La-Belle, Avoca-street, Randwick.

LOST, Saturday morn., Railway-parade, Kogarah, Lady's Bag, cont. fount. pen, other articles; reward 10s. Adams, Grocer, Railway-parade, Kogarah.

LOST, Solid Silver Purse, in Drummoyne, Gladesville tram, or Day-st. Return to Miss Rowles, Registrar-General's Department, Chancery-sq. Reward.

LOST, from Markets, bay Gelding, branded I.W., Cart, and Harness. Persons are cautioned about buying same. Cowland, 6a Enmore-road, Newtown.

LEFT in 5.28 p.m. train, Milson's Pt., Wed., Leather Suit Case. Kindly return to J. Hill, 7 Barrack-street, city. Reward.

LOST, Diamond True Lovers' Knot Brooch, on bar, between Cremorne and city; reward. The Rita, Cremorne.

LOST, in Roby-street, Mascot, Wednesday morning, small Altar Book, name Ivor Skelton inside. Finder kindly return to Windermere, Robey-street.

LOST, Tuesday, 2.45 boat from Manly, Ring, two diamonds, sapphire, keepsake. Reward. Woodville, Darley-road, Manly.

LOST, Gold Watch and Chain, lady's name inside, between Pitt-st, Martin-pl., and George-st. Reward. Mrs. Ducros, Ferndale, Livingstone-rd, Petshm.

LOST, corner Pitt, Market sts, 6 o'clock Wednesday, tawny BULLDOG, collar marked Parday. Finder rewarded, return 139 Elizabeth-street.

LOST, Tool Bag and Tools, marked L.M.C., between P'matta-rd, Renwick-st, Norton-st. Reward. Randell Bros., Taverner's Hill, Petersham.

LEFT Crown-st tram, 5.30 p.m. yesterday, Gold Double-sight Spectacles in case, reward. 472 Cleveland-street, Surry Hills.

LOST, Wednesday, either 1.15 p.m. Neutral Bay tram or steamer, 1 Lady's Buttoned Boot; reward. Bavistock, Wycombe-road, Neutral Bay.

LOST, bet. Chelmsford-av, Dundas and Epping station, 2 Plans and Papers, in envelope. Finder return to M.B.W.S. and S., Pitt-st. Reward.

LOST, King or Pitt sts, Silk Blouse. Finder please communicate 45 Flood-street, Bondi. 'Phone, Waverley 564.

LOST, small Rough-haired Bitch, long tail, near Haymarket; 5s reward. Apply Halston, Croydon-avenue, Croydon Park.

LOST, Grey Purse, between State Fish Shop, Pitt-st, and Milson's Point, season ticket to Artarmon in purse, 10/ note, and silver. Reward. Apply Barling, Harden-road, Artarmon.

LOST, D'hurst or city, Gold Locket, with diamond in centre, keepsake from husband on active service. Finder please ring 154 William-st; or call 8 Barncleuth-square, Elizabeth Bay.

LEFT, in Ocean-street tram, at William-street, about 5.30 yesterday, SUEDE PURSE. Reward on returning same to SCOTFORTH, Elizabeth Bay-road.

LOST, Wednesday afternoon, between Railway Station, Anthony Horderns', or in Railway tram, Gold Wristlet WATCH, with initials on back. Reward. Nurses' Home, 140 Phillip-street. Tel., City 1008.

LOST, at Maroubra, or between there and Darlinghurst, BAG, with name inside, gold wristlet watch, ring, pendant, etc. Good reward. Keepsake. Reply 43 Woolcott-street, Darlinghurst.

LEFT in Rose Bay tram, Tuesday night, Leather Suit Case and Blue Suit. Finder well rewarded on returning to A. W. CHESSELL, Room 4, 3rd floor, Ocean House.

LOST, between Mark Foy's and State Fish Shop, Brown Paper Bag, containing Black Feather, 5 Photos, Pair Gloves. 10/ reward. Apply 178 Redfern-street, Redfern.

MOTOR Bonnet Brass Clip. Lost, Saturday, Liverpool-road, between Croydon and Ashfield. Finder kindly communicate 379 Darling-street, Balmain. Tel., W1000.

OFFICIAL Returned Soldier's Badge, No. 4320. Finder please return to J. R. Cunliffe, c.o. Registrar-General's Office, King-street.

ON Tuesday, on Milson's Point boat, or between Milson's Point and Artarmon, Purse, containing 2 latchkeys and 1 doorkey and small change. Finder may keep change and return keys to CAFE CONTINENTAL, 283 George-street, opposite Hunter-street.

REWARD.—Lost, in Rockdale, on Monday night, 3 £1 Notes. Carter, c.o. Ozone, Rockdale.

REWARD.—Lost, Undercliffe, Sunday, Gold Safety Pin. Please return 36 Calvert-st, Marrickville.

REWARD £1.—Two Ponies, Bay Filly, HC; Brown, 2 white hind feet. A. G. A. McCoy, Enfield.

REWARD 10/.—Chestnut Pony, white face, like 8 hair. A. McCoy, Enfield.

SILVER Semi-hunting Watch, photo. in back. Reward. Webb and Co., tram terminus, Hurlstone Park.

SCHOOLBOY'S BAG, initials A.M.W., books, tram, Stott, or near baths; rew. 52 Wolseley-rd, Mosman.

STRAYED, Brown Horse, branded 22 near shoulder, O near hindquarter; £1 reward. A. LLOP, Lane Cove-road, Ryde.

STRAYED, Bay Mare, 4 black points, branded C over Ace Clubs; also light Draught, branded JJ near M; reward. G. Penfold, King-st, Mascot.

WILL Person who Found Box, contg. hats, please return 108 Day-st, Leichhardt. Reward.

ASHFIELD POUND.—Brown Filly, like AW over near shoulder, EM off sh. To be Sold This Day, noon.

ASHFIELD POUND.—Bay Pony Mare, no visible br.; Grey Pony Mare, no visible br.; Black Gelding, like shamrock, very faint, near shldr.

CONCORD POUND.—To be sold this day, noon, Grey Mare, F near shoulder.

FOUND, in my Shop, a Sum of Money. Apply F. Newton, Herbalist, Market-st.

FOUND, Sunday, Syd. Station, Purse, cont. Lady's Watch. J. Green, Box 20, P.O., Newtown.

FOUND, a BOX, containing samples, 3 weeks ago. Owner can have the same by paying expenses. Apply Mrs. Miles, Richmond Cottage, Milner-rd, Artm.

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AVOCA-ST, RANDWICK.—SITES, TRAMWAY EXT. ESTATE, NEXT SAT. H. and C.

FOR SALE.

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MUST BE SOLD to-day, owner leaving State. EXCEPTIONALLY WELL MADE Maple Bedroom Suite, large Wardrobe, fitted with trays, drawers, and hanging space, handsome Washstand and Table to match, £22. Recently cost £38. Maple Bedstead, Maple Dining-room large Sideboard, Table, and Suite; Mission Suite of 8 pieces, spring lift seats, £6/10/; recently cost £12/10/, Mission Sideboard to match; 2 nearly new Axminister Carpets, Linoleums, and other Furniture. Will take first reasonable offer for lot, or sell separately. ALL NEARLY NEW.
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GENERAL FURNITURE and Appointments of Gentleman's Home for PRIVATE SALE. Everything is in perfect condition, and of superior workmanship, including finely-designed Double MAPLE BEDROOM SUITE, furniture of 2 minor bedrooms, solid OAK SIDEBOARD, take £8/10/; Carved Back Oak Dining Suite, £4/17/6 (Couch to match); MAPLE SIDEBOARD, Maple Dining Suite, Tables, Lounge Chairs, Carpets, Ornaments, Pictures, etc., etc. Sacrifice at low price for early sale, lot, or to suit purch. Pater, c.o. G.P.O.

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POSITIONS VACANT.

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MUNICIPALITY OF DARLINGTON. Applications in writing are invited from persons possessing the necessary qualifications under the Local Government Act for the position of TOWN CLERK, at a salary of £150 per annum, commencing April 1 next. Applications, with particulars of experience and copies of testimonials, will be received by the undersigned till THURSDAY NEXT, 15th inst, at 1 p.m. Office hours: Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Tuesday and Thursday, 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. Canvass of aldermen will disqualify. T. PHILLIPS GIBSON, Town Clerk. Town Hall, Darlington, March 7, 1917.

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PAINTER wanted, small job. Apply Britannia Hotel, Cleveland-st, Redfern.

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PLASTERER WANTED, good man. Apply J. M'Carthy Flats, Woolcott-st, Darlinghurst.

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PLUMBER wanted to solder holes in 40 sheets galv. iron. 73 William-st, city.

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PRINTERS.—Machinist wanted, double royal, for night work. Atkins, M'Quitty, 16 Pitt-st, Syd.

PAINTER.—Brush Hand wanted. Cr. of Darlington rd and Codrington-st, Darlington, 8 a.m.

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RESPECTABLE LAD for Office, one just left school preferred, 10/ weekly. A.D.D., G.P.O.

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SLATER and TILER wanted. J. Round, Todman avenue and Baker-st, Kensington.

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SLATERS and TILERS wanted. Apply A. Hand, Jun., 7 Stafford-st, Stanmore.

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STATIONER'S Assistant (female), with experience, required for our Retail Department. W. E. SMITH, Ltd., Bridge-street.

SHIRTS.—Trimmers, Pyjama, and Sleeve Hands wanted, best prices, constant work. L. LEVEY, Imperial Shirt Company, Ortona-buildings, Wentworth-avenue (Old Foster-street entrance).

SENIOR and Junior Salesmen, for Jewellery Sales, must have selling ability, splendid opportunity for advancement for successful applicant. State age and experience. Apply 771, Herald Branch.

STRONG LAD REQUIRED FOR OUR PACKING ROOM. Apply 9.30 a.m. to-day, DAVID STOREY and CO., 81 York-street, Sydney.

STAGE.—Wanted, all the clever Children in Waverley, Bronte, Bondi, Coogee, etc., to join Miss LILIAN ROSS'S Classical Physical Culture and Stage Dancing Classes, commencing THIS SATURDAY, 11 a.m. Fee 1/. Contortion, Acrobatic, Athletic. Class Monday, 4 p.m., 2/6. Private Tuition, £1 1/ monthly. Rickeville, Nelson Bay-road, Waverley. Bronte tram Lugar-street.

STENOGRAPHER and TYPISTE, Temporary, Wanted Immediately. Prospects Permanent Position. Good Salary. Apply between 10 a.m. and 12 noon, Secretary, NICHOLSON and CO., Ltd., 342 George-street.

SYDNEY HOSPITAL. APPLICATIONS will be received up to FRIDAY, the 23rd inst., from Gentlemen desirous of being appointed to the undermentioned Positions on the Honorary Medical Staff of the Sydney Hospital, which have become vacant through effluxion of time, in accordance with the provision of Bylaw 68. Namely:—
Hon. Physician (Retiring Officer) Dr. J. Macdonald Gill.
Hon. Asst. Physician (Retiring Officer) Dr. John Harris.
Hon. Asst. Physician (Retiring Officer) Dr. Harold J. Ritchie.
Hon. Asst. Gynaecologist (Retiring Officer) Dr. J. Crawford Robertson.
Hon. Asst. Surgeon (Retiring Officer) Dr. George Bell.
Hon. Asst. Surgeon (Retiring Officer) Dr. Howard Bullock.
Hon. Asst. Aural Surgeon (Retiring Officer) Dr. Richard Arthur.
Hon. Ophthalmic Surgeon (Retiring Officer) Dr. R. H. Jones.
Hon. Asst. Pathologist (Retiring Officer) Dr. Walton Smith.
All the abovenamed Retiring Officers are eligible for but not entitled to re-election. Applications to be addressed to "The President, Board of Directors," Sydney Hospital. LESLIE W. DUNLOP, Medical Superintendent.

TAILORS.—Wanted, 1st-class Coat Hands, Tailoresses, i.e. Trousers Hand. Schurenberg, Wagga Wagga.

TO TAILORESSES.—Good Coatmakers, constant. T. Gunn, 35 Sydney Arcade, George-st.

TUCKPOINTER wanted. Apply Shirley-rd, Wollstonecraft, near Fire Station, Crow's Nest.

TAILORESSES.—Coat Machinists wanted. W. J. Blackmore and Co., Phillip-Marriott sts, Redfern.

TAILORESSES.—Constant Position open for good Vest Hand. Cumber and Co., 21A Elizabeth-st.

TAILORESSES wanted, for Skirts and Coats. J. Paper, Belmore and Allison rds, Randwick.

TAILORESSES.—Good Vest Makers wanted, 2 for table work, 2 work self. Howes and Howes, Pitt-st.

TO TAILORESSES.—Wanted, good COAT HANDS. S. Bowen, Ltd., Railway-square.

TRAVELLER, calling on grocers, city and subs. only, can hear of good side line. 25 Marshall-st, Surry H.

TAILORESS with first-class experience in ladies' tailoring; also Appr. S. Green, 450 Oxford-st, Padd.

TAILORESS.—Machinists and Finishers wtd.; start at once. Hyman and Jacobs, 5th fl., 300 Castgh.-st.

TAILORESSES.—Wanted, Coat Hands, constant. Aird Bros., Crow's Nest. North 883.

TUCKPOINTERS.—Smart Hand wanted. Hyland's job, Harris-st, city. Early.

TAILORESSES.—Coat Machinists, for stock work. C. J. Earle, 741 George-st (side of Lyric Theatre).

TAILORESSES.—4 1st-cl. Coat Hands, work self or assist man. Howes and Howes, Pitt-st.

TAILORESSES.—Wanted, Apprentices for Coats, Vests, and Trousers, constant work, good chance for girls leaving school to learn trade. GILES, 222 Clarence-st.

TAILORESSES.—Coat Lining Machinists and Table Hands for Coats, Vests, and Trousers, stock work. E. and C. MANUFACTURING CO., 1st floor, 752 George-street, Haymarket.

TRAINED Nurses required.—Miss MacLachlan's Agency (estab. 1898), 350 George-st.—Matrons and General Nurses, subs., £90, £100; Nurses, some experience, subs., Probs., trained Infants' Nurses.

THE UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE. DEMONSTRATOR IN PHYSICS. APPLICATIONS for appointment to this Office are invited, and should be lodged with the undersigned not later than the 17th inst. Salary £300. Duties begin 20th March. J. P. BAINBRIDGE, Registrar.

POSITIONS VACANT.

TO BAKERS.—Wanted, a first-class FOREMAN. Allen's Bakery, Kogarah.

TRAVELLER, good address, take over Tea Run. Wages required, copies refs., previous experience, own turnout pref., but not essent. Suburbs, Herald.

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THE CIVIL SERVICE CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY OF N.S.W., LTD., 152-6 Pitt-street, Sydney. STRONG STOREMAN, about 20 years of age. MESSENGER BOY for Pharmacy. Apply 9 a.m.

TYPISTE AND STENOGRAPHER WANTED, with thorough knowledge of general office routine and correspondence. Permanent position. Must have had at least 4 years' experience in leading city firms. Apply personally to A. HALL and CO., 265 George-street.

TAILORESSES. WANTED, TROUSERS MACHINISTS. SMART GIRLS TO LEARN. Constant employment. Mr. POTTS, ROBERT REID and CO., LTD., Balfour-street, Chippendale, off George-street West.

Commonwealth Naval Dockyard, Sydney. Director of Naval Works Department. TEMPORARY STEEL STRUCTURAL DRAUGHTSMAN. Wanted, a DRAUGHTSMAN, thoroughly efficient and experienced in the design of Steel Structures, etc. Applications, stating experience and salary required, together with copies of testimonials, to be forwarded to The Superintending Naval Civil Engineer, Naval Works Department, Cockatoo Island, SYDNEY.

TOTALLING MECHANISMS, LIMITED. TWO MECHANICAL DRAFTSMEN WANTED, accustomed to Structural Steel Work and Machine Design. Apply in writing, giving full particulars of experience, and salary required, to G. A. JULIUS, Consulting Engineer, Box 1495, G.P.O., Sydney.

WANTED, TRAVELLER, young, energetic, by firm of Debt Collectors. Apply Box 83, Haymarket P.O.

WANTED, Messenger Boy, for merchant's office, 15/ per wk. to commence. Apply 185 Clarence-st.

WANTED, LABOURER. Apply Eama-Ray, cr. Clairvaux and New South Head rds, Rose Bay.

WANTED, Needlewoman, to make loose chair covers, must be experienced. 6160, Herald.

WANTED, LABOURERS. Price to Grub Out FOUR TREES. Apply Thompson's Gardens, Balmoral B.

WANTED, strong BOY for errands and showroom. Apply Hannam's, Ltd., 134 Castlereagh-st.

WANTED, first-class MECHANIC for Motor Work. Apply Mechanic, Box 73, G.P.O.

WANTED, strong LAD for Store. Dangar, Gedye, and Co., Ltd., 9-13 Young-st, Sydney.

WANTED, CARTER, for light cart, one with stable preferred. E. Kiely, 230 Pitt-st, near Park-st.

WANTED, strong YOUTH, as Messenger. Apply The Adams Press, 178 Castlereagh-st, city.

WANTED, Buttonhole MACHINIST. Apply early. A. D. Shaffer, 252 Kent-st.

WANTED, STONE-BREAKERS. Apply Douglas's job, Foveaux-st, behind Tooheys Brewery.

WANTED, Double Lorry DRIVER. Apply Jackson and Jochau, 43 Albion-st, Annandale.

WANTED, 2 smart LADS, just left school pref. Staniland and Sandell, 38 York-st, city.

WANTED, a cheap Printer to Print a small weekly newspaper. Z.O.N., Herald Office.

WANTED, Lady Canvassers, can earn good wages, part or full time. Mr. Alexander, 8 King-st, Newtown.

WANTED, YOUTH, 18 years. Bakewell Bros., St. Peters Bridge, Erskineville.

WANTED, PAINTER and Paperhanger, 2 weeks' work. 3 Alkert-st, nr. Parramatta-rd, Leichhardt.

WANTED, first-class COACHPAINTER. Arthur Horton, Ltd., 344 Parramatta-rd, Petersham.

WANTED, exped. GIRL, for Confectionery. Apply 534 Pitt-st, opp. Snow's.

WANTED, TIPCARTS, with 6in sideboards. Apply Pitt-st, near Liverpool-st.

WANTED, CORNET-PLAYER, also Drummer and effects. Apply at once, 292 Harris-st, Ultimo.

WANTED, Junior STRIKER, used to Wheelwright Blacksmith, age 17 or 18. Pople, Wattle-st, Ult.

WANTED, DRIVER for van, for couple of days. 137 Elizabeth-st.

WANTED, for small job, TILER, bring tools. Prince of Wales Hotel, Haymarket.

WANTED, practical JAM MAKER, for small factory, Blue Mountains. Apply Box 950, G.P.O.

WANTED, good BUTCHER, to assist in shop, wages £3/5/. W. E. Ward, Son, 203 N.S. Hd. rd, D. Pt.

WANTED, strong YOUTH. Apply Walder's Quilt Factory, Holt-st.

WANTED, MACHINISTS. Apply Walder's Quilt Factory, Holt-st.

WANTED, THREE PICKMEN, for Excavations. Terminus Hotel, Pyrmont.

WANTED, MAN, used to boats and hauling nets. Write C. W., Balgowlah P.O.

WANTED, Double Lorry Driver, one Single Tipcart Driver. Spinks, Paul's-rd, Waterloo. App. early.

WANTED, PAINTER, to kalsomine. Apply 185 Enmore-rd, Enmore.

WANTED, a Licensed Van Driver. Apply 328 Norton-st, Leichhardt.

WANTED, a smart, strong LAD, for Shop. 220 Parramatta-rd, Annandale.

WANTED, smart Motor Trimmers, compt. putting up squabs, fit. covers. Popples, 55 Parramatta-rd, An'dle.

WANTED, Licensed Van Driver. Apply A. Bartlett, Hampden Park, Paddington.

WANTED, BRICKLAYER, at once. Apply J. Hines, Liverpool-rd, Burwood.

WANTED, Builder's Labourers. No. 10 Loftus-st, city. H. J. Thompson and Son.

WANTED, Plumber, used to copper pipe work. [illegible] Ward, Ltd., 396 George-st.

WANTED, GENERAL LABOURER for a few days. 37 Kingston-st, Haberfield.

WANTED, LABOURER, to get out foundations. Railway-st, Epping.

WANTED, Motor Painter's Labourer. Apply Chamberlain Motor Garage, 34A Campbell-st.

WANTED, good BOOT REPAIRER, all-round man. Stan Jones, 98 Military-rd, Mosman.

WANTED, young Woman, for Ham and Beef Shop. 404 Darling-st, Rozelle.

WTD., Gd. Gen. Blacksmith and Horseshoer for ctry. town, award rates, 6 mths.' agree., one fare paid. Fred Harder, Blacksmith, Tooraweenah, via Gilgandra.

WANTED, first-class LADY TYPISTE, Stenographer and Bookkeeper. Apply Caddy and Lee, Fruit Exchange, foot of Bathurst-street.

WANTED, JUNIOR RESIDENT MASTER, for Preparatory School, Toowoomba. Particulars to and from Headmaster.

WANTED, Experienced GIRL for all kinds of packing, temporary, but may be permanent. Apply own handwriting, G. M. A., Herald Office.

WANTED, Shipping Clerk, by wholesale house, able man. Apply, stating age and full particulars. Confidential, 6157, Herald Office.

WANTED, smart Young LADY, for our office, one just left school. Reply by letter, H. G. WRIGHT, Ltd., Richard-st, Newtown.

WANTED (to ride delivery tricycle for city drug warehouse), strong YOUTH; wages, to commence, £1. Apply, enclosing refs., to 6168, Herald.

WANTED, smart BOY, from school preferred, chance to learn good trade. HANMAN and WATTS, Linden-court, Castlereagh-street, city.

WANTED, CARTER and Assistant, for slaughterhouse, wages £3/10/. T. A. PATTERSON, Butcher, Miranda.

WANTED, respectable Man, to deliver bread. Apply 9 a.m. ROGERS' BREAD FACTORY, Ashfield.

WANTED, smart LAD, as Messenger, etc. Wages 15/. HARDY BROS., Ltd., 13 Hunter-street. Apply, with refs., to Trade Entrance, Empire-lane.

WANTED, refined Girl, light housework and assist children; general kept. Tel., Y1862. 11 Milton-avenue, Mosman.

WANTED, GIRLS, for Labelling. BORTHWICK'S PTY., LTD., Botany-road, Alexandria.

WINE and Spirit House require competent CELLARMAN; must have first-class experience. Apply with copies of references, giving full particulars, to Box 1158, G.P.O., Sydney.

WANTED, young LADY, experienced in the receipt and despatch of Mails and Recording Correspondence. Apply after 10.30 a.m., [illegible], Sydney.

WANTED, INVOICE CLERK, with knowledge of wholesale grocery and shipping work. Apply by letter, enclosing copies of references, and stating salary required, to INVOICE, Box 1225, G.P.O.

WANTED, BOILERMAKERS and FITTERS, for Blast Furnaces. Apply to BLAST FURNACES MANAGER, Lithgow.

WANTED, for City Warehouse, young LADY, with musical taste, keep stock cards, assist music showroom. Full particulars, business experience, if any, age, and salary required, to Methodical, Box 970, G.P.O.

WANTED, for whisky bottling store, one LAD, about 18 years. Apply DALGETY and CO., Ltd., 9 O'Connell-street.

WANTED, reliable and steady MOTOR DRIVER, must be good mechanic, thoroughly understand city and suburbs, one used to hire work preferred. Apply by letter, with copy testimonials, DRIVER, Herald Branch.

WANTED, smart CLERK, Parramatta district resident preferred. Apply in own handwriting, stating age, previous experience, if any, copy of references, etc., to 6156, S. M. Herald.

WANTED, competent ENGINEER and FITTER. Only first-class man need apply. MOFFAT VIRTUE, LIMITED, Palmer-st, Woolloomooloo.

WANTED, smart young Male CLERK, reliable at figures, previous ledger experience necessary. Apply, stating age and experience, to RELIABLE, Box 1578, G.P.O.

WANTED, smart BOY of good address for office, one with previous knowledge preferred. Apply after 9 o'clock to ELECTRIC SUPPLIES AND ENGINEERING, LTD., 163 Clarence-street.

WANTED, Competent OXY-ACETYLENE GAS CUTTER. Apply to G. and C. HOSKINS, Limited, Lithgow.

WANTED, Smart YOUTH, about 19, able to use woodworking machines. State experience and wages required. Apply by letter, with references, to WOODWORKER, Herald Office.

WANTED, ENGINEER'S FITTER, for Works, Byron Bay. Apply THE NATIONAL MEAT PRESERVING CO., 6 Bridge-street.

POSITIONS VACANT.

WANTED, the services of MARRIED COUPLE, with no family; man as general manager to suburban Grocery business and Refreshment Rooms, must have previous experience; wife as working housekeeper. A good opportunity for industrious couple. Apply STOREKEEPER, Herald Office.

WANTED, TWENTY GIRLS, for FACTORY. Apply WILLIAM ARNOTT, LIMITED, Biscuit Manufacturers, HOMEBUSH.

WANTED, FIFTEEN BOYS. Apply WILLIAM ARNOTT, LIMITED, Biscuit Manufacturers, HOMEBUSH.

WANTED, MOTOR MECHANIC, with good knowledge of Cars. Apply Mr. Meyers, BEALE and CO., LTD., Trafalgar-street, Annandale.

WANTED, METAL POLISHER. Apply Mr. Meyers, BEALE and CO., LTD., Trafalgar-street, Annandale.

WANTED, immediately, for good coastal town, Queensland, THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED SALESWOMAN, for Laces and Embroideries. GOOD POSITION. SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY FOR RIGHT PERSON. Meet Employer SARGOOD BROS., Noon.

WANTED, FARMER AND COMPANY, LIMITED, require COMPETENT SALESWOMEN, for Ready-to-Wear Costume Department. Only those with first-class experience need apply. EXPERIENCED SALESWOMAN, for Mantle Department. EXPERIENCED LADY ASSISTANTS, for Mail Order Department. Capable of taking charge of section. BRIGHT, INTELLIGENT BOY, for Men's Hat Department. Apply STAFF SUPERINTENDENT, Second Floor, George-street.

WALLSEND HOSPITAL. APPLICATIONS are hereby invited up till SATURDAY, the 17th day of MARCH, 1917, for CERTIFICATED A.T.N.A. NURSES, as follows:—
1. To officiate as MATRON (during the absence of Matron Lowry, at present on active service in India). Salary, £3/3/ per Week.
2. HEAD NURSE. Salary £80 per annum and Uniform.
Particulars on Application. References Required (Copies Only). THOMAS ABEL, Secretary. March 5, 1917.

YOUNG MAN, for Drapery, country, first-class job. Australian Exchange, 24 Castlereagh-st.

YOUTH wanted, drive and attend pony and sulky. Apply 9 a.m., 125 Annandale-st, Annandale.

YOUNG Lady for Office, experience not essential. Apply B. B. Tuohy, next City Bank, Burwood.

YOUTH wanted for LABEL CUTTING, experienced. TURNER and HENDERSON, LTD., Jamieson-street.

YOUNG MAN, to take charge SALES DEPT., able to find £30. Apply after 10.30, AUSTRALIAN EXCHANGE, 1st flr., 24 C'reagh-st.

YOUNG GIRL for Garden Seed Section, one with experience preferred. Apply Buying Office, NOCK and KIRBY, Ltd., 192 George-street, Circular Quay.

YOUNG LADY BOOKKEEPER, shorthand and typist, wanted for good City Office. Very easy place for the right girl, not under 17. Apply in own handwriting, state age, salary expected, and office experience, which is not essential, EQUITY, G.P.O., Sydney.

YOUTHS WANTED, used to Power Press. Must be smart. STANMORE PRESERVING CO., LTD., Bridge-road (adjoining Camperdown), STANMORE.

SERVANTS WANTED.

A GOOD Home for elderly WOMAN, kitchen work, healthy locality, pensioner pref. 6161, Herald.

AT Wellington, Companion, Lady Help all duties, 3 in fam., interv. 11. 20; Mrs. Mulligan, 82 King-st.

A GENERAL, for 3 adults. Apply cor. William and Hubert sts, Leichhardt.

A COOK, College, 35/, suburb. Mrs. Mulligan, 82 King-st, city.

AT Gregg's, 72 Enmore-rd.—Exp. H.M.W., 20s; W. Cook, 30s; Gen., 2 a., 20s, h.m. kept.

A COUPLE of experienced WAITRESSES, to start at once. Victoria Coffee Palace, 288 Pitt-st.

A GOOD General, 30/, no ldry. Apply Mrs. James, Altona, Wunulla-rd, Woollahra Pt. T., 465 Edg.

A SMART young HOUSEMAID, assist in bar, 20s week. Sewell, Royal Hotel, Auburn.

A WAITER or WAITRESS wanted, 17/6. Miss Elliot, 44 Macleay-st, Potts Point.

A GOOD GENERAL wanted, wages £1, other maid kept. 9 Rosemont avenue, Woollahra, off Edgecliff rd, near Edgecliff P.O. Tel., Edgecliff 243.

AT Miss GOODWIN'S, 63 Eliz.-st.—H'man Waiter, 22/6, H'maids, assist waiting; 4 M. Couples, no encumb., stns.; Mother, Dgtr., Ldry., h'work, 40/.

AT LOVEROCK and HARPER'S, 16 Eliz.-st.—H'md. and Attendant, Mental Hosp.; Cook-L'dress, stn.; H'md., W'tress, tog., city; Cook, sub., Cook and L.

A REFINED LADY HELP, light duties, small family, no washing or turning out, references. 33 Darling Point-road. 'Phone, 518 Edgecliff.

A WORKING HOUSEKEEPER required, other maids kept, expenses paid. Miss STONIER, Addison College, Rowley-street, Strathfield. U4682.

A YOUNG GIRL wanted, mind baby, 12 months, all or half day. Hillcrest, 152 Parramatta road, Haberfield. Tel., City 2792.

A COMPETENT COOK, seaside, 40/; Waitress, hotel, 20/; L'dress, assist, 21/; Boy to deliver milk, 15/ and found. WALKER'S, 109 Elizabeth-street.

A M. COUPLE, man gen. useful, wife C. and L., £104; Station Hand, 25/, no milking or killing; Gen., for Bowral, small fam., good wages, H. and P. Md., 2 in fam., 20/; L. Help, 15/. Campbell, 66 Eliz.-st.

A DOMESTIC HELP, no washing. References. Mrs. GOODALL, Glenorchy, Redan-street, Mosman. Tel., Y1741.

AT MISS LAYARD'S, 29 ELIZABETH STREET. GARDENER, 25/, ctry.; STAT. HANDS, 25/, Glen; COOK, 25/; H'MAID, 20/, ctry., intv. 11 o'clock. COOK, 27/6, adult fam., exc. home, Tamworth. COOK, 35/, cakes and sweets, accustomed gent. home.

BOY required for office. Apply KITCHEN and SONS, Ltd., 365 Kent-street, Sydney.

AT HENRY WOODS' AGENCY, 27 Elizabeth-st. Tel. 1584.—Married Cpl., stn (West), man milk and kill, wife ex. L'dress, 50/; W'tresses (2), N. line, 20/. Others, 17/6 and 18/. Cook, hotel, at Maitland, 30/. Housemaids (2), same hotel; meet employer at 12. 15/. Kitchenman, N. line, 25/. Cook, S. line, 35/.

AT NORMAN'S, 48 Eliz.-st (1858).—MARRIED COUPLE, bachs.' stn., 1 gentleman, excel. pos.; MAR. CPL., cook-gen., gen. useful, 42/, st. 10.15; MAR. CPL., cook-lau., gen. useful, 3 adults, £110, int. 12 o'clock; HMD.-NEEDLEWOMAN, 20/, G. P. MD., stn., 20/; COOK, 3 adults, 25/; Cook-Ldr., stn., 25/; R. RIDERS, 30/; SHEEPMAN, 25/, bonus; GARDENERS, 25/.

AT ISRAEL'S. NOTE: 66 HUNTER STREET. GARDENER, USEFUL, MANLY, 25/, per. refs. GROOM, GARDEN, USEFUL, LADY, ROSEVILLE, 20/. DAIRY, MILKERS and DELIVER, 35/6, 60/. PENSIONERS, USEFUL, PRIVATE HOUSES, 10/, 15/. WAITRESSES, TOURIST HOTELS, MOUNTAINS, 20/. COOKS, WOMEN, CAFES, BONDI, CITY, 40/. H'MAIDS-WAITRESSES, KATOOMBA, 17/6. TIPS. W'TRESSES, H'MAIDS-WAITRESSES, SUBURBS, 20/. GENERALS, COOKS and LAUNDRESSES, HTLS., 30/.

AT MRS. WOODIN'S. CHEF (Man), holiday resort, 50/. WOMAN CHEF, 45/; HOUSEMAID-W'TRESS, same hotel, 20/. West. Line; HMD.-L'DRESS, N.S. L., 25/; H. PMD., station, QUIRINDI, 30/; H.P. MAID, MTNS., 3 in fam., 20/; COOK, Girls' School, MTNS., 25/; COOK, MAITLAND, hotel, 30/; COOK-GEN., MEDLOW, Cottage, 3 in fam., 25/; DAIRY FARM, Fam. Milkers, 4 wanted, shares, manage farm, int. 11 Thursday; Working Hkpr., subs., 27/6 to 30/, must cook well; H'maid, city club, 16/; laundry and uniform; Cook, priv., 30/, subs., D. Pt.; Cook, HAY, 30/; Cook, 2, WALGETT, 30/; Boundary Rider, 25/. 114A Pitt-st.

AT GORDON'S AGENCY. 'PHONE, CITY 10676. 163 CASTLEREAGH-STREET. KITCHENMAN, 25/, leading hotel, near Sydney. HOUSEMAN, 20/; USEFULS, 20/ (3 wanted). GARDENER, 20/, and keep, good place, suburbs. MAN, able drive a horse, 20/ and keep. WOMEN COOKS, 30/, 27/6, 25/, country hotels. LAUNDRESSES, 25/, 20/; WAITRESSES, 20/. BARMAIDS, 25/; also H.M.-WAIT., 20/, same hotel. BARMAIDS (2 wanted), same lead. hotel, suburbs. WOMAN CK., 30/; also WAITRESS, 17/6, same hotel. 2 WAITRESSES, 17/6, same hotel, near Sydney. HOUSEMAID, 17/; also WAITRESS, 17/, same hotel. WAITRESS, 17/6; also KITCHENMAID, 17/6, same htl.

AT MRS. McKENZIE'S, 44 Castlereagh-st, opp. Hotel Australia.—Companion, and able to undertake all duties for one lady, cottage home, suburbs, 15/; Cook-Laundress, for Orange (in the town), 2 adults, 25/, apply with ref.; 2 Lady Helps, treated as one of family, Western Line, personal interview; Nurse, 1 little girl, subs., assist light duties, maid kept; competent Person, undertake all duties but laundry, 3 adults, 22/6, suburbs; Elderly Woman, for Store, 3 adults, as one of family; Cook, for Hotel, woman, 27/6, city; Cook, for cafe, 25/, city; Married Couple, 2 adults only, Western line, 2 miles out, £104; Gardener 20/, Western Line; Boundary Rider, 25/; also Station Useful, same station, interview 3 prompt.

AT RYAN'S AGENCY, CITY 3004. 161 CASTLEREAGH-STREET. MARRIED COUPLE, £2/15/, hotel, groom and cook. PORTER, 25/, good tips; GROOMS, 25/ (2 wanted). JAP., CHINESE, or CINGALESE LDY'MAN, 20/. USEFULS, 25/, hotel and station; KITBOY, 17/6. WOMEN COOKS, 30/, 25/; LAUNDRESSES, 25/, 20/. MOTHER and DGHTR. or FRIENDS, £2/7/6, hotel, as Cook and Housemaid-Waitress. MOTHER and DAUGHTER or FRIENDS, £2, small hotel, as Cook and Housemaid. MOTHER and DAUGHTER or FRIENDS, £2/5/, hotel, as Cook and Nurse. GENERAL (no cooking), 20/, sml. htl., child taken. COOK-L'DRESS, 25/, stn; H.M. W'TRESSES, 20/, 17/6. RYAN and CO., 161 CASTLEREAGH-STREET.

SERVANTS WANTED.

AT KING'S, Baking House, Rawson-pl. C. 7112.—Cpl. Man, stud farm, 25/; Laun., 25/, keep; H'md., Coll.; Cook, Hon. 22/6, Man.; H'md.-L., 22/; N. H'md.; Garden, 30/; H'man, 22/6, M. C., 45/.

AT BARDSLEY'S AGENCY, 13 ELIZABETH-ST.—MARRIED COUPLE as Cook and Kitchenmaid; Working Housekeeper; Mother and Daughter, all duties; Boy for dairy work; Kitchenmaid; Cook-Laundress; General, child taken; Housemaid-Waitress, city.

AT GOLD'S AGENCY ('Phone, City 3320), 55 RAWSON-CHAMBERS, opp. Railway. MARRIED COUPLE, hotel, South, £2 10s, int. 11. MARRIED COUPLE, hotel, near Sydney, £2 5s. MARRIED COUPLE for Manly, £2 10s. WOMAN COOK, hotel, near Sydney, 30s. WOMAN COOK, station, West, 35s; North, 25s. WAITRESS, first-class hotel, South, 20s, tips. COOK LAUNDRESS, small adult family, suburbs, 25s. GENERAL, hotel, no family or boarders, 25s. GIRL, mind two children, good home, 10s. MAN COOK, small hotel, South, 30s. USEFUL for hotel, South Coast, 25s. MAN, milk and deliver, suburbs, 40s. SEE OUR LIST NEAR LIFT, PITT-STREET ENTRANCE.

BARMAIDS (2), leading suburban hotel. Wages over award. Int. 10 sharp. Hittmann's, 61 Elizabeth-st.

BOWRAL.—Wanted, GENERAL, four adults, must be GOOD COOK, no laundry, help given. Wages 20/. Refs. indisp. Apply between 2 and 3, JEAN and CO., Florists, Rowe-street, city.

BRABANT'S AGENCY, 63 Elizabeth-street, city.—MARRIED COUPLE, £3, man cook, wife lds., N. M. COUPLE, £117; other, £104, sta., Nth. and West. WOMEN COOKS, 35/, 30/, 25/, sev. wtd., all lines. WAITRESSES, 20/, 17/6; H.M. W'tresses, 20/, 17/6. KITCHENMAID, 17/, also W'tress, 17/6, same htl., W. 2 FRIENDS, Cook, £2, H. M. Waits., 20/, Ldrss., 25/. KITCHENMAN, 20/. W. NIGHT PORTER, 20/, S. NIGHT PORTER, 20/, Nth.; Groom-Useful, 20/, West.

COMPANION-HELP, easy pos., also Housemaid and Generals, good salaries. Roslyn Agcy., 84 Bondi-rd.

COOK GENERAL, relieving, 2 others kept, small family. Apply Mr. Aspinall, 8 College-st, city.

COOK-L'DRESS, priv. adult family, wages £1. 'Ph., 832 Wm.-st; 10 Challis-av., Potts Point.

COMPETENT GENERAL, cott., small fam., gd wages, pers. refs. Mrs. Quigley, Waima, Carr-st, Coogee.

COOK-LAUNDRESS or W. HOUSEKEEPER, station, 3 in family, 30s, walking child not objected to. Miss DAWSON, Room 2, 1st floor, Challis House, opp. G.P.O.

COOK, private family, Goulburn, 25s, required for Mrs. Faithfull. Apply Miss DAWSON, Room 2, 1st floor, Challis House, opp. G.P.O.

COOK, small private family, D. Point, 30s, personal references. Miss DAWSON, Room 2, 1st floor, Challis House, opp. G.P.O.

COOK (woman), hotel country, 35s; Waitresses, 20s; HOUSEMAID, assist bar, subs., 25s. MASON'S, 61 Elizabeth-st. City 4115.

COMPT. GEN., no wash., 2 in family, another maid kept. Wages £1. Refs. Tel., Edge. 1475. Liberal outings. WONGA, Cranbrook-road, Rose Bay.

COMPT. relieving Maid, 1 month, all duties except laundry work. Apply this morning. Mrs. Mankellar, 85 Beach-road, Darling Point.

COMPLE. L. HELP, 20/, small fam., stn., Moree, riding, motoring, intv. 12; NURSE, 18/, boy 2½; NURS. GOV., £52, Armidale. Miss HUNGERFORD, 6a Market-street.

COOK GENERAL (no washing), also HOUSE-PARLOUR MAID, cottage, 4 adults, own room. HUNTINGTOWER, Homebush-road, Homebush. U6177.

COMPETENT HOUSE and PARLOUR MAID required, two in family. Fare paid to interview. Mrs. P. M. WOOD, Redcliffe, Liverpool-road, Ashfield.

COMPT. H. and P. MD., Prot., Wooll., 20/; Cook, Prot., 25/, Wooll.; H'md., club, Cooks and H. Ps., ctry. and subs., good wages. Young C.-L'dress, Mts., 25/; H. Steward, school, 25/; H'md., H.-P. Md., 20/. Miss ROWE, London Bank-chmbs., Market-street.

DOMESTIC Help wanted, no laun., 20/ and boat tckt. Mrs. Grave, Kurrowah, Alexandra-st, Hunter's Hill.

DARLINGHURST Agcy., 27 Eliz. Agency.—Wanted, sev. Gens., yng. Cook, Waiting, Dy. Workers. T. 508 W.

EXP. Parlourmaid, boarding-house experience, wanted at once. Clifford, Wylde-st, Potts Point.

FAIRPLAY AGENCY, 5 Moore-st.—Wanted, Cook-Laundress, excellent place; House-Parlour Maid, easy place; Cook-Generals, P. House Maid, Doctor.

FOR Coonamble district, Companion, domestic duties, light place, husband and wife and two children, treated as one of family, good wages. GRAYLEIGH, Cronin-street, Abbotsford.

FRITH, Mrs., 60 Castlereagh-st, opp. Theatre Royal. T., total. CHEF, country hotel, £2/10/; JAP. CHEF, country, £3; Woman Ck., ctry. hotel, 40/, easy place; WORK. HOUSEKEEPER, child no obj., 20/, meet emp. here to-day; 6 WAITRESSES, CITY HOTEL, WOMAN COOK, city, 35/; HOUSEMAID WAITRESS, country hotel, 20/; GENERALS and COOK LAUNDRESS, 25; MARRIED COUPLE, COBAR, £110; FARM HAND, 26/, inter. 12 to-day; GROOM, c. hotel.

GENERAL, no laundry, other help kept, 25/. After 11, 261 Elizabeth-st.

GENERAL, cook nicely, little housework, 2 in fam., can recommend. Miss Godwin, 63 Eliza-st.

GARDENERS wanted, for stations, 30/, keep. Simmonds, 188 Castlereagh-st.

GENERAL, good plain cook, references, liberal outings. Lealholme, Chandos-st, Ashfield. T., U1081.

GOVERNESS (Nursery) required, Killara, 2 children, £45. Full particulars from Miss MACLACHLAN'S AGENCY, 350 George-street. T., 3252.

GENERALLY Useful young Girl wanted, liberal outings. Mrs. Meyers, Cleverton, Ferdinand street, Hunter's Hill. 'Phone, 128 H.H.

GENERAL, competent, wanted, good home, wages £1 per week. Apply Carmel, cor. Adast and Reynolds st, Neutral Bay. Phone, Y2041. Fares paid.

GENERAL HELP, small family, 15/. Right at station, Cheltenham; or 'Phone, Epping 340. Mrs. PIERCE, Cheltenham, Hornsby Line.

GENERAL or Cook-Laundress wanted, another kept, 4 adults, references. Apply 9 to 12. Mrs. Dalgarno, 97 Victoria-street North, Darlinghurst.

GENERAL or LADY HELP, good wages, laundry optional, family 3. Mrs. SULLIVAN, Kilcolta, Shellcove-rd, Neutral Bay. 5 min. from Harriette-st tram. Tel., N362.

GOVERNESSES, Nursery, Prot., 2 pupils, Kindergarten method preferred, nice position, personal interview, 2 maids kept; Nursery Companion, able to mend, musical preferred, 2 maids kept, Western line; Windsor district, Nursery, £46. Mrs. McKenzie, 44 Castlereagh-st.

HOUSEMAID, assist bar, no boarders. G. Keghery, Auburn Hotel.

HOTEL PORTER, BOOTS, USEFUL, 20/, for Muswellbrook, worth more to a smart young man. HOTEL GROOM, YARDMAN, 22/6, for ctry. hotel, extra to be made. Good place smart m.aged man. WOMAN COOK, 20/, only young woman accepted, for nice class hotel, WEST MAITLAND. MARRIED COUPLE, for hotel, quiet country place, man as plain cook, wife hmd.-waitress, 45/ bet. Miss MACNAMARA, Wentworth-ct, 64 Eliz.-st. 5371.

HITTMANN'S PASTORALISTS' AGENCY, 61 ELIZABETH-STREET. NOTE.—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. HITTMANN have returned to OFFICE, and will be pleased to see old FRIENDS and Welcome New ONES. EUROP. COOK, £2, interv. 10 sharp, gd. htl., Temora. GARDENERS [illegible], £1, suburbs. [illegible] interview 12; Station Lads, £1; Farm Hands, 30/. MEN [illegible], 25/, Grubbing and Dig Out Rabbit burrows. MARRIED COUPLES, £104 to £130, all parts. BARMAIDS [illegible], hotel, award w. Int. 10. HOUSEKEEPER, £1, 2 bachelors, Moree; Cook-L'dress, [illegible]. 30/, Generals, £1, subs. [illegible]. HOUSEMAID only, £1, Grammar Sch.; H'md. W., £1. WAITRESS, 16/, also H'maid-L'dress, 16/, same hotel. [illegible]. MOTHER and DGTR., £110, 1st-cl. stn. Meet Squat. 10.

HITTMANN-FRITH'S SQUATTERS' AGENCY, 25 ELIZABETH-STREET. 'Phone, 1860. M. COUPLES, all parts, stations and farms, to £125. DAIRY FAMILY, 15 cows, m. and deliver, £20 to £30 month; interview between 4 and 5 p.m. GARDEN USEFUL, 25s; Waiter, 20s; H.Useful, 25s. K'MAN, 25s, city hotel; Hotel Groom, 20s; Chef, 45s. 5 W'TRESSES, 20s; H.M.W., 22s 6d, P. Md., 20s, ctry. C. and L., 30s; M. and Dghtr., 40s; Cook, 30s, city.

JAP. CHEF, country hotel, only exp. to-day. Mrs. Frith, 60 C'reagh-st, opp. Theatre Royal.

KITCHENMAID WANTED. Apply 84 George-st North.

KITCHENMAN, Mts., 17s 6d; Boy for milk run, subs., 15s; Boy for farming. Welch, 29 Elizabeth-st.

LIGHT GENERAL, other help kept, good cook. 11 Milton-avenue, Mosman. Tel., Y1862.

LIGHT General, liberal outing, good home. 21 Stanton-rd, Haberfield.

LIGHT General, good home, easy place. 8 Oxford-st, Paddington, opp. West's Pictures.

LAUNDRY.—Wanted, Plain Ironers, Folders, and Useful Girls. Mrs. Day Laundry, Shadforth-st, M'man.

LAUNDRY. Exper. Sorter, Girl to learn, gd. writer, Girls, Folding. French L., 232 Oxf.-st, Woollahra.

LIGHT GENERAL, small family, good wages, outings. 'Phone, Manly 667. 180 Addison-rd, Manly.

LADY NURSE, 20/, 1 child 3 years, treated as one of family. L. NURSE, Tamworth, 2 ch., 20/, more daily. HENRY, 35 Elizabeth-st.

LIGHT GENERAL (reliable), at once, all duties, two adults, cottage, good home, close station. Wages 14/. Mrs. Hedges, Roma, William-st, Epping.

LADY HELP-COMPANION, comp. cot., small fam., no heavy duties. Mrs. JORDAN, [illegible], Burra road, Artarmon. 'Ph., J866.

LADY HELP required, small adult family (2), no cooking, liberal outings, wages 14s, near station. LORNE, P.O., Strathfield.

LIGHT GEN., no cook or wash., start at once, sleep home. Wages 15/. 80 Macpherson-st, Waverley. 'Phone, 425 Wav.

LADY HELPS, Warren, 17s 6d, subs., 20s; Waitress, hotel, Mts., 20s, tips; Cook, country hotel, 30s; General, one lady. WELCH, 29 Elizabeth-street.

LADY Workers' Bureau, 14 Moore-st. City 2256.—Governess, 2 child., 3 and 7, W. S., £45; Housekeeper, 1 lady, 15/; Lady Helps, ad. fam., 18/; N. Bay, 2 adts., 16/; Sisters or Friends, work together, nice house, 15/, 20/; W. Hkpr., 3 adts., Mos., 20/, no laund.

LADY NURSES' BUREAU. L. Nurse, 3 child., R. Bay till May, then station, Nyngan, 20s; 2 child., 4 yrs., 15 mths., Mountains, 20s; 2 child., 2½, 4 yrs., Leura, 20s; 3 yrs., 1 yr., Wollstonecraft, Reliev. Nurse, 2 weeks, Companion-Helps. Miss ROFE, 165 Pitt-st.

M. COUPLE, £110, man milk, kill, wife cook-laun., S. line. Henry, 35 Elizabeth-st.

MARRIED COUPLE wanted for station, wife cook laundress, man milk, kill, useful, good place, gd. wages. Vicly Room 29, 98 Oxford-street.

MOTHER and DAUGHTER as Cook-Laundress and Nursery Housemaid, 1 child, 4 adults, best accommodation and wages. Apply Y1404.

MILKERS, for Suburban dairies, 40, 35/6, 30/6, keep; for country farms, 30/, 25/, all districts. SIMMONDS, 188 Castlereagh-street.

MOTHER and DAUGHTER, or 2 SISTERS, for two in family, some laundry given out. Apply 4 Mcliney-street, Potts Point. Telephone, [illegible] William-street.

M.C., CATTLE STN., N.L., man exp. stockman, wife C. and L., £150, [illegible], milk, meat, Stn., W.L., [illegible], another help kept; £115, S.L., man milk, kill, plough, wife wkg. hkpr., 1 bach., £104; PLOUGHMEN, S. and W. Lines, 30. SCHOLEFIELD, 41 Elizabeth-street.

MARR. COUPLE, Eng. pref., wife cook, man butler, £110; M. Cples., stns., £110, £104; Station Hand, milk, 25/; Youth, 20/; Cooks, 25/; H'md., 20/, stn., Moree; 22/6 and 20/; Scone, others; Cook-L'dress, 25/, or W. H'kpr., in ctry. 11; W. H'kpr., 1 bach., 20/, bakery; C.-L'dress, 25/, 2 adults, Burwood; Cook-Gen., 20/, N'bri; Cook, £2, n.b.; H'md. Walt., 20/, S. Coast; Cooks, D. Pt., 25/. Mrs. M'CLUSKY'S, 70 Hunter-st.

MARRIED COUPLE, man station useful, wife cook laundress, £130, W.L.; £104, 2 in family, W.L.; £104, 3 in family, no ldry. work, New England; £104, S.L.; M. Couple, man cook, wife h.m. laundress, £120, S.L.; M. Couple, man h'man, wife cook, £117, N.L.; Station Useful, man milk, groom, 30/, S.L.; 25/, N.L.; 25/, Q'land; Youth, milk, rise, 22/6, N.L.; 22/6, S.L.; Mother and Daughter, 2 Sisters, or Friends, £117, no ldry. work, N.L.; £104, New England; H'maid, 20/, N.L.; Lady Help, 18/, N. Sydney. Miss WILTON, 4 Castlereagh-street, 5th floor, take lift, near Hunter-street.

SERVANTS WANTED.

M. COUPLE, man cook, wife laundress, hotel, £156 per annum. M. COUPLE, man cook and baker, wife h. and p. maid, station, £125, station. M. COUPLE, man milk, etc., wife laundress, £101. GROOMS, to milk and kill, both North, 30/ each. BOUND. RIDER, 30/; GENERAL HAND, 30/, South. YOUTH, able to milk and ride, N. Line, 20/. MAIDS' DEPT. COOK (only), no baking, station, South, 30/. COOK, 25/, no bak.; L'DRESS, 22/6; H. and P. MAID, 20/, same station, North, suit friends. H. and P. MAIDS, New Eng., 20/; Moree, 20/; [illegible], 22/6; S. Coast, 20/. L'DRESS, Singleton, 4 in family, 22/6. Tel., City 1872. SIMPSON BROS., 1 Elizabeth-street.

NURSEMAID for 2 children, other maid kept. Feruna, Carrington-road, Randwick (opp. Bishops-court). 'Phone, Randwick 1340.

PLOUGHMAN, 30/, suburbs; ORCHARD HAND, 25/. YOUTHS, learn farming, 15/, keep, all districts. GENERAL STATION HAND, boundary ride, 30/. STATION GARDENER, 30/; BOUNDARY RIDER, 30/. SIMMONDS, 188 Castlereagh-street.

REFINED GIRL, dom. duties, 18s. Mrs. Tom Gray, Milburn, Tintern-rd, Ashfield. U1328.

RESPECTABLE Woman to Wash, to-day, half day weekly. Selbridge, Redmyre-rd, Strathfield.

RESPECT. Middle-aged Woman, LIGHT GENERAL. Woman, walking child, no objection, 6/ week, small cottage. 117 Princes-st, Church Hill, Sydney.

RESP. young GENERAL, good plain cook, 2 adults, liberal outings. ABERDONA, Wentworth-road, 1 door from Rowley-street, Strathfield. Tel., U4737.

STRONG GENERAL, sleep at home, also Laundress, 3 days wkly. St. Hilliers, Albert-st, Petersham.

SMART WAITRESS, good wages, no Sunday work, commence immed. Old England Cafe, 68 Erskine-st.

TWO KITCHENMAIDS wanted, ready to start. Apply early, Walker's, 132 Pitt-st, 2 doors f. King-st.

WANTED, MAN, milk and deliver. E. Charlish, Centennial-av., Longueville, via Lane Cove tram.

WAITRESS, must be experienced. Apply Wentworth Hotel.

WANTED, Light GENERAL. After 9 a.m., 11 Glenview-st, Paddington, near Brown-st.

WILL give room, keep, to elderly Woman, in return for light work. 279 Cleveland-st, Redfern.

WANTED, Man, to mow grass, etc., Friday. Apply to-day, 2 o'cl., Adderton, Fullerton-st, Wlhra.

WANTED, a LADY HELP. Apply Avenel, Avoca-st, Randwick, almost opp. Catholic Church.

WANTED, good General, cottage, 2 adults, walk. ch. Gd. wages. Cambawarra, Ranger's avenue, Mosman.

WANTED, GENERAL, small family. Apply 9 Holt-avenue, Mosman.

WANTED, 2 WAITRESSES. Great Western Coffee Palace, Hay and Sussex sts.

WANTED, General Help, small fam., easy place, gd. home, refs. 23 Canonbury Grove, Dulwich Hill.

WANTED, competent GIRL, for housemaid, others kept. 140 Redfern-st, Redfern.

WTD., country Woman, help h'work, dairy farm, help milking pref. Mrs. T. Ryan, Moeyan, Berry.

WANTED, Waitress, no Saturday afternoon or Sunday work. City Market Cafe, Quay-st, Haymarket.

WANTED, PANTRYMAID. Post Office Coffee Palace, 56 Erskine-st.

WANTED, exp. Order Waitress, 22/6 p. wk. Apply Colonial Cafe, 139 George-st, Circular Quay.

WANTED, USEFUL, under 21. Apply Fountain's Belvedere Hotel, Kent and Bathurst sts, city.

WANTED, a Man, to milk and deliver; good wages. J. Howard, Croydon-rd, Bexley, A'cliff tram ter.

WANTED, smart ½-day Waitress, no Sat. afternoon, Sund., holidays. 131 Pyrmont-rd, Pyr.

WAITRESS wanted, experienced; come ready to start. Botanic Gardens Refreshment Rooms.

WANTED, HOTEL USEFUL, under 21. Apply Barley Mow Hotel, Park-st, city.

WANTED, a GENERAL. 'Phone, 99 Kog.

WANTED, companion, accompany lady, 2 child., ctry., 3 mos. State salary, K.C., Herald Office.

WANTED, young GENERAL, make herself useful. 184 William-st, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, trustworthy General, at once, all duties, small adult family, temporary. 50 Holden-st, Ashf.

WANTED, reliable GIRL for housework and plain cooking. 643 King-st, Newtown.

WANTED, a HOUSEMAID-WAITRESS. Arnott House, Wynyard-square.

WANTED, MAN, milk and deliver. George Smith, Dairyman, Patterson-st, Concord, via Burwood.

WANTED, smart GIRL, assistant, for confectionery shop. Apply 753 George-st, Lyric Theatre-bldgs.

WOMAN to clean bedrooms, must be clean. 487 Pitt-st, opp. Railway.

WANTED, y. Girl, Turramurra, assist, no washing, as one of the family. Gregg's, 72 Enmore-rd.

WANTED, smart Help, no washing. Islington, Bishop's-av., Randwick. L. Coogee, Bronte trams.

WANTED, young GENERAL, for small family. Apply Karoola, Susan-st, Little Coogee. T., 790 Rwk.

WAITRESS, exp., no Saturday afternoon or Sunday work. 125 Regent-st, city.

WANTED, smart PANTRYMAID. Lyceum Cafe, 214 Pitt-st.

WANTED, LADY HELP, light duties. References. Hawthorn, M'Mahon's Point, North Sydney.

WANTED, good, elderly LADY, care home, 2 child. State wages, open 2 days, A.E., P.O., Waterloo.

WANTED, MILK CARTER, also YARDMAN, good milker. Warner's Dairy, High-st, Willoughby.

WANTED, smart WAITRESS, wages 22/6. Lyceum Cafe, 214 Pitt-st.

WANTED, Competent COOK, also Relieving Housemaid. Mrs. Nott, Lynn, Mona-rd, Darling Pt.

WANTED, experienced Second COOK. Apply 18 Market-st, city. Good wages.

WANTED, SMART WAITRESS, also Tea Waitress, at once. 472 George-st, city, near Market-st.

WANTED, Young GIRL, assist housework and children, 15/. 11 Carlotta-rd, Double Bay, Edg. 147.

WANTED, Housemaid, assist waiting. Apply Ranelagh, Darling Point-rd, Darling Pt. T., Edg. 273.

WANTED, light General, no cooking, sleep home. Apply Mrs. Colman, 5 Boyce-st, Glebe Point.

WANTED, young Kitchenmaid, restaurant. 271 George-st, no Sunday work. Start at once. Good wages.

WANTED, General, adult family, good wages, liberal outings. 36 Johnston-st, Annandale.

WANTED, Girl, age 22, various duties. Fruit, [illegible] Cowley, Milson's Point.

WANTED, good HOUSEMAID-WAITRESS. Apply [illegible], Milson's Point.

WANTED, reliable General Help, sleep in or out. 153 [illegible], Waverley, opp. Waverley Park.

WANTED, General Hand, dairy work, must be good milker. Model Dairy, Arthur-st, Mar'ville.

WANTED, 2 Young GIRLS, Housemaids, Waitress, 2 sisters pref. Mrs. Clinton, 106A Albion-st, Dlst.

WANTED, an honest, active GIRL, 16, housework, sleep out. Omrah, 156 Crown-st.

WANTED, STARCH IRONER; constant. 6 Reddy-st, Paddington, near White City.

WANTED, a HOUSEMAID-WAITRESS. Apply early. 76 Darlinghurst-road.

WANTED, experienced WAITRESS. Apply Mrs. Walters, 25 Oxford-st, Darlinghurst.

WANTED, young Girl, as General; no washing. Ellerslie, 65 Dalhousie-st, Haberfield.

WANTED, compt. Housemaid-Waitress, refs. Imperial Hotel, Oxford-st, Paddington. T., 230 P.

WANTED, GIRL, just left school, mind 2 children during day. 208 Pitt-st.

WOMAN for grills, night work; also Woman for Scrubbing. Cosmos Cafe, 777 George-st.

WANTED, a HOUSEMAID-WAITRESS. Town Hall Hotel, Oxford-st, Paddington.

WANTED, MAN, to milk and deliver. Apply Bevan's Dairy, Upper Spit-rd, Mosman.

WANTED, a good GENERAL, small fam. Eastern Markets Hotel, Forbes-st, Woolloomooloo.

WANTED, smart TEA WAITRESS. Walker's Restaurant, 29 Park-st.

WANTED, light General, no washing. Apply 10 a.m., Bristol Arms Hotel, 81 Sussex-st, city.

WANTED, Single Man, as Groom and Driver. Livery Stables, 43 Hereford-st, Glebe.

WANTED, WOMAN, wash and iron., by day. 196 Raglan-st, near Muston-st, Mosman.

WANTED, a young General, 2 in family, no washing or ironing. Ruston, 44 Shadforth-st, Mosman.

WANTED, MAN or YOUTH, for pig farm. F. C. Kent, Pennant-st, Parramatta.

WANTED, WAITRESS, at once. Olanda Tea and Grill Rooms, C. Pawson, 141 William-st, city.

WANTED, LIGHT GENERAL, no washing. Kimbolton, [illegible], near tram.

WANTED, LIGHT GENERAL, easy place. Apply 157 Bridge-rd, Glebe.

WANTED, Married Man, for milk cart; must be smart and clean, no milking. Wages £3. Bailey, Morrison-road, Ryde.

WANTED, sup. GIRL, General, another kept, small family, good wages, good home. 'Phone, 761 Paddington. Hindavale, 57 Park road, Centennial Pk.

WANTED, a strong active General SERVANT, 4 in family, plain cooking, wages 15s per week. Apply Mrs. S. Rolfe, 61 Erskineville-rd., Erskineville.

WANTED, a competent GENERAL, liberal outings, good wages. Apply after 10 o'clock, 114 Victoria st North, Potts Point.

WANTED, trustworthy HELP, couple of hours daily, household duties. Apply after 6.30 p.m., or letter, MORTLAKE, Paul-street, Waverley.

WANTED, reliable Person, as Mother's Help, all duties, except washing. Week-ends free if required. Mrs. CAMPBELL, [illegible], Ryde 256.

WANTED, young GIRL, assist light housework, more for company, good home, with small family. Mrs. PHILLIPS, [illegible]-street, Bondi.

WANTED, active old-age Pensioner, useful in garden, and kitchen, small wages, good home. J. PAUL, 14 Middleton-street, Stanmore.

WANTED, a good [illegible], Eastwood, Monday morning. Apply Phillips, Potts Hill, Lidcombe.

WANTED, compt. LAUNDRESS, by day, must be good washer and ironer. Apply Mrs. DECK, Maplestead, Shirley-road, Wollstonecraft.

WANTED, experienced WAITRESS, also Relieving Pantrymaid, 1 day per week. [illegible] Elizabeth streets, city.

WANTED, smart young General, no cooking or washing, other help kept, good wages and liberal outings. 225A Bridge-road, Glebe.

WANTED, Country Woman as GENERAL, family of two, good home and wages. Apply after [illegible], Tarrala, [illegible]-street, Woollahra.

WANTED, good GENERAL, young, for small private hospital, no washing, liberal outings. Apply, references, to Marton, [illegible], Addison-rd, Manly.

WANTED, MAID for general work, no washing, 4 adults. 55 Victoria-street, Lewisham, near train and tram.

WANTED, comp. GENERAL, all duties, small adult family, good wages, reference required. Apply any morning, KNOCKLOFTY, Cremorne-road, Cremorne. Three minutes from tram.

WANTED, GENERAL, 20/, attend cooking and downstairs, no laundry, excellent home, Randwick; can recommend. For further particulars apply Miss LAYARD, Penzance-chambers, 29 Elizabeth-street.

WANTED, a competent GENERAL, no washing, wages £1. Apply Mrs. NORTHCOTT, 200 Norton-street, Leichhardt.

WANTED, LADY HELP, small family, no washing, wages 15s. Apply before 12 o'clock, Mrs. DOUGLAS, Brierley-street, Cremorne. Tel., Y2774.

WANTED, a steady Man, to drive dray turnout, to constant work, earning £4 18s weekly, guarantee to transfer turnout and work, £30. COLE and CO., 61 Royal Arcade, Pitt-street, next Palace Theatre.

WANTED, superior, trustworthy GIRL, attend elderly lady, assist light housework, little nursing exper., pref., refs. reqd. 44 Harriette-street, Neutral Bay. Tel., N 8 1005.

WANTED, a smart, sober Man as HOUSEMAN-PORTER, sleep in, 25/. PACIFIC MANSION, Lower Domain.

SERVANTS WANTED.

WANTED, a young Woman as good COOK, [illegible] references required. Apply to Miss HILL, [illegible] Bent-street, city. Tel., 7366.

WANTED, Ladies, for many nice positions, as Companions, nurses, country, also Comforts Nurses, [illegible] 24/ to 25/. New Methods, Lady Workers' Agency, 230 George-st, 1st fl.

WANTED, capable GENERAL, 25/, woman with a child taken, small family, excellent home, North [illegible], interview by arrangement at Miss LAYARD'S, Penzance-chambers, 29 Elizabeth-street.

WANTED, a respectable young Woman, to assist light duties, comfortable home, child not objected, wages 10/. Mrs. H. LILLEY, George's [illegible], Croydon park, Croydon.

WANTED, PARLOURMAID, 20/, Strathfield, small family, every convenience, interview arranged at Miss LAYARD'S, Penzance-chambers, 29 Elizabeth-street.

WANTED, capable GENERAL, cottage, small family, good wages. Tel., North [illegible]. WAKINGA, Reynolds-street, off Waters-road, Neutral Bay.

WANTED, COOK GENERAL, no laundry work, other help kept. Wages £1. Apply Mrs. BERESFORD GRANT, Warrawee. Telephone, Wahroonga 18.

WANTED, NURSERY HOUSEMAID, easy place. Apply 60 The Avenue, Strathfield.

WANTED, competent young General, for Flats, no washing. Fare paid. Mrs. TAYLOR, 8 Mount Stewart Flats, Edgecliff-road, Edgecliff.

YOUNG or Middle-aged GENERAL, small adult family. Apply Sunnyside, Foster-st, Ryde.

YNG. Generals, Assistants, Yng. Girls willing learn gen. wk. Burwood Registry, Styles-ter., Burwood.

YOUNG Woman as Housemaid, sleep out pref. [illegible] Henry, [illegible], Nelson and Wallis sts, Woollahra.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

A YOUNG woman wants work by the day. Apply M., Mosman P.O.

A RELIABLE young Woman wants Washing, Ironing, Monday, Tuesday. A. R., Leichhardt Post-office.

A CAPABLE Woman wants Office Cleaning or Laundry W., or mornings only. Gregg's, Lists.

AN exp. W. H'keeper, refined, suit widower's home, [illegible] Gen., with infant. Gregg's, Lists.

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A WIDOW (35), no fam., Pos. H'keeper, [illegible] duties Saturday. Particulars G.L.C., Herald Office.

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AWAITING, at Mrs. TREVOR-JONES, 14 Moore-st. City 2256.—Lady Nur., exper. child, invalid nurs., hosp. exper.; Lady H'keepers, also Work. Housekeepers and Nur. Governess.

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